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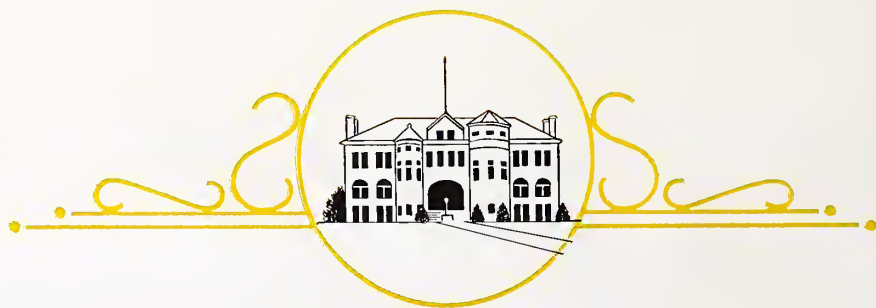
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**JUST FIFTY YEARS AGO**

**THE 1944 GRAYMAROON**





# BETHEL COLLEGE

OF THE  
MENNONITE CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA.

DAVID GOERZ,  
SECRETARY AND BUSINESS MANAGER.

Newton, Kansas, den 5. May 1908

Hiermit wird bekanntgegeben, daß Herr David Goetz von  
Newton, Kansas, als Vorstand der Bethel College (Kongregation der  
Mennoniten von Westaustralien) beauftragt, Einverständnis auszusprechen  
ist, auf seinen Namen in Bezug auf die Angelegenheiten unserer Kirche in Bezug  
zu befallen und zu fördern, was immer für eine Gelegenheit dazu besteht  
ist, besonders in Bezug auf die Angelegenheiten der Bethel College  
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J. Krebber Präsident  
B. Warrenton Sekretär

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*years* ago the doors of Bethel College swung open to the youth of its church who were seeking a higher education. Organized for the training and development of Christian young men and women, it has watched a succession of classes leave its portals and go out into the world. The influence of the college in the past fifty years has been great. Not only has its ideals permeated the churches, but also communities in general, wherever the Bethel student may be found, *and Now* after fifty years of service we see a college that has grown in every respect. The plant is larger; the student body is growing, and Christian influence is reaching out farther than ever before. Yes, Bethel College has prospered greatly, and its only hope is that it may fulfill its purpose as well in the next fifty years as it has done in the past.



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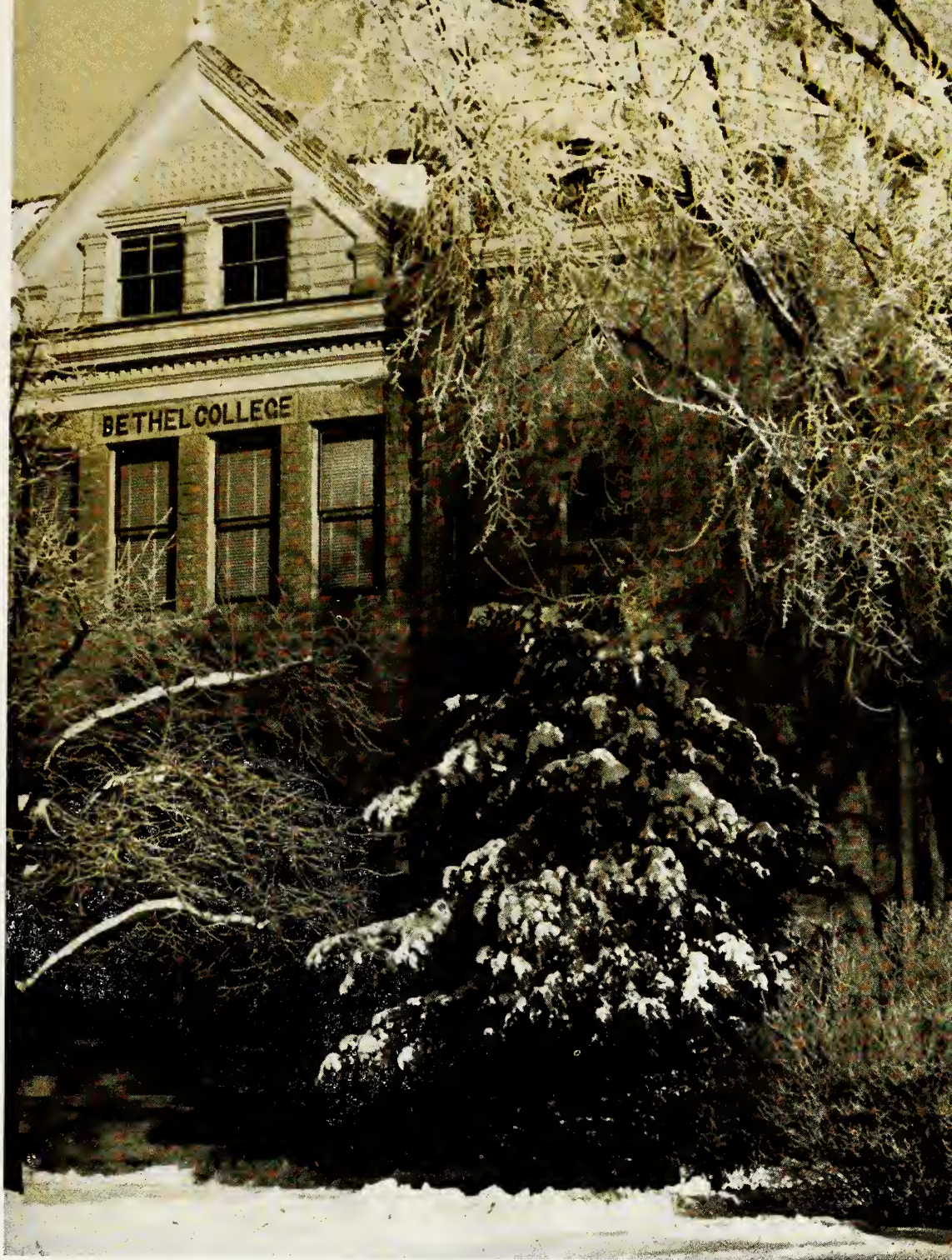
## THE 1944 GRAYMAROON

BETHEL COLLEGE ★ NORTH NEWTON, KANSAS

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# FOREWORD

The dawn of the 1943-44 school year again found plans in an embryonic stage for the student publication of the *Graymaroon*. Staff disorganization, caused as a result of members unable to come back to school; war restrictions on photographic supplies, paper and other necessary items involved in the publication of an annual retarded the work. However, after encountering various obstacles, it has again been possible to present to you a book in which are recorded, pictorially and in writing, the important events of the year. We hope that this book will serve as something more than just another volume to embellish your bookshelves. We hope, instead, that it will become a constant reminder of your year here at Bethel. Not only a reminder of the good times that were offered, but also the inspiration that only a school such as Bethel can give. A year in which your life has been broadened by Christian experience and wholesome living. A year in which you have gained the acquaintance of valuable friends among the student body and also within the faculty and staff. It is with this hope in mind that we present to you the 1944 *Graymaroon*.

This is your book. By your hearty co-operation and patient consideration we have been able to publish it.

THE EDITORS.





MEMORIAL HALL



TREE without roots cannot live. Neither can a Christian liberal arts college such as Bethel exist without the ever-moving force that staunchly supports its efforts. It is the constituency of this institution that has stood by the college as it has passed through various difficulties. By their silently uttered prayers and material contributions they have shown a faith in the development of Christian youth; a youth that will be able, because of its experiences here at Bethel, to better make its contribution to humanity.

This force is not always invisible. One can see it streaming into Memorial Hall in anticipation of an Alfred Noyes, a Don Cossack Chorus, a Wings Over Jordan Ensemble or a Ralph Sockman. Again you may see it coming out of the museum with a look of satisfaction after viewing the work of years gone by. Or you may look up at buildings such as Memorial Hall and view an edifice that was built because such as they believed in Bethel.

The voices that support Bethel College are not always those assenting agreement. Many times they are in opposition to the policies that are shaping the school's activities. That, too, is good, for in this group expressing disapproval are those who have vision and experience and by heeding them Bethel is able to steer clear of the many obstacles which she meets along the way. We welcome these criticisms for without them our school would fail in its ultimate aim.

By faith, Bethel's constituency is primarily Mennonite, for Bethel is an institution of the Mennonite Church. Included in this body are men and women of various professions. Those of the land who make their livelihood by tilling the soil, those in the business world—the bankers, lawyers, small-town storekeepers, those who are in the world of service—ministers, missionaries, doctors, nurses; together they make a picture of unity—of human beings vitally interested in promoting a higher education that will mold an individual with Christian ideals and principles.

And so it is with humble gratitude and sincere appreciation that we of the Bethel College student body dedicate to you, our friends, the 1944 Graymaroon. In offering this tribute to you, we hope, in a small measure, to repay you for what you have given us. Without you, Bethel would cease to exist.





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## *President* KAUFMAN

Since 1932 Dr. Kaufman has been a diligent and aggressive leader, not only of Bethel College as an institution preparing for a life, but also of the Mennonite Church and its principles as a whole. He has worked unceasingly toward the advancement of Christian education, and it has been through his wholehearted efforts that a richer and deeper unity between the college and its constituency is being accomplished. He, with his experiences as a teacher, lecturer, missionary, author, and administrator, and aided by his keen foresight, is ably directing this institution through the crisis of the present day.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

*Left to right, J. C. Regier; Dr. P. H. Richert; H. E. Suderman, Vice-President; Gerhard Zerger; Dr. E. G. Kaufman; Rev. Arnold Funk, Secretary; Rev. David C. Wedel, President; C. H. Goering, Treasurer; K. A. Richert.*

*Not on Plate, Rev. Phil A. Wedel; Dr. Abraham M. Lohrentz; Rev. Abraham J. Dyck; Rev. Peter K. Regier; Dr. B. J. Stucky; and P. F. Quiring, alternate for Rev. P. K. Regier.*



## DEAN OF THE COLLEGE

Dean Goertz's sincere and humble helpfulness is a factor that has aided the thousands of students who have turned to him with problems. His scholarly and distinguished mien and friendly attitude endear him to all. His readiness to lend valuable advice to the many who seek it is a source of inspiration to them. The counsel he gives is from one with a world of fruitful experience.



## DEAN OF MEN

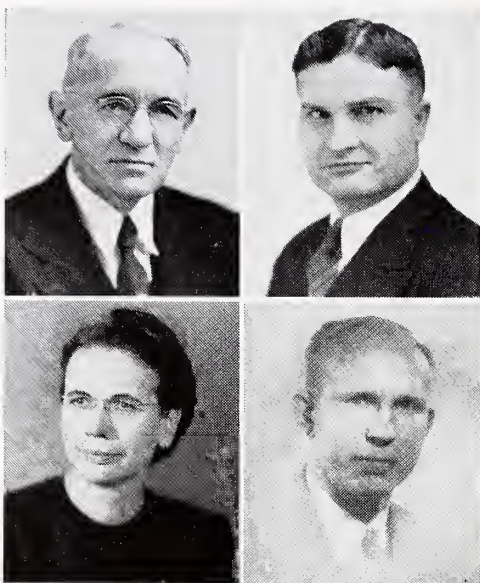
In Dr. Kauffman we find not only an example of the character and integrity which he is helping to promote among the students, but also one who endeavors to understand with a sense of equality, the perplexities of a student. His sincerity and congeniality have enabled him to be an efficient director of young people.

## DEAN OF WOMEN

Miss Linscheid serves as a wise and sympathetic counselor to the girls of the school. She is an able and willing worker, giving generously of her time toward the betterment of a situation. She has devoted her labor for the welfare of the students and the best interests of Bethel College.







# Administration

John F. Moyer, A.M.  
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*Public Relations*

Luella Smith, A.M.  
*Assistant Registrar, Testing*

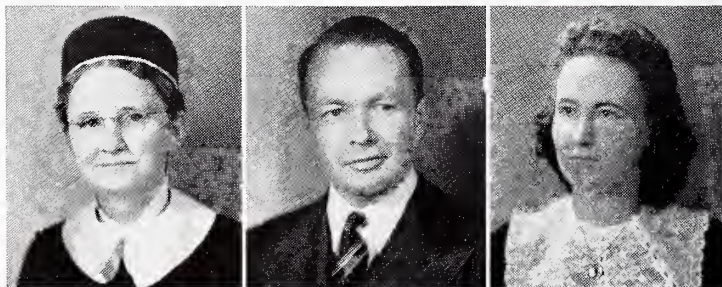
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*Executive Secretary of the Alumni Association*

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*Manager of College Press, Printing*

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*Manager of Book Store and College Inn*

Charles J. Kauffman  
*Assistant Curator of Museum*



Sister Marie Lohrentz, R.N.  
*School Nurse*

Herbert R. Schmidt, M.D.  
*College Physician, Health Supervisor*

Ruth E. Ewert, B.S.  
*Secretary to the President*

*Not on Plate:*

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*Librarian*

J. M. Regier  
*Director of College Fellowship*

# Faculty

Henry A. Fast, Ph.D.  
*Bible—Chairman*

Edmund G. Kaufman, Ph.D.  
*Bible, Sociology*

Lester Hostetler, B.D.  
*Bible*

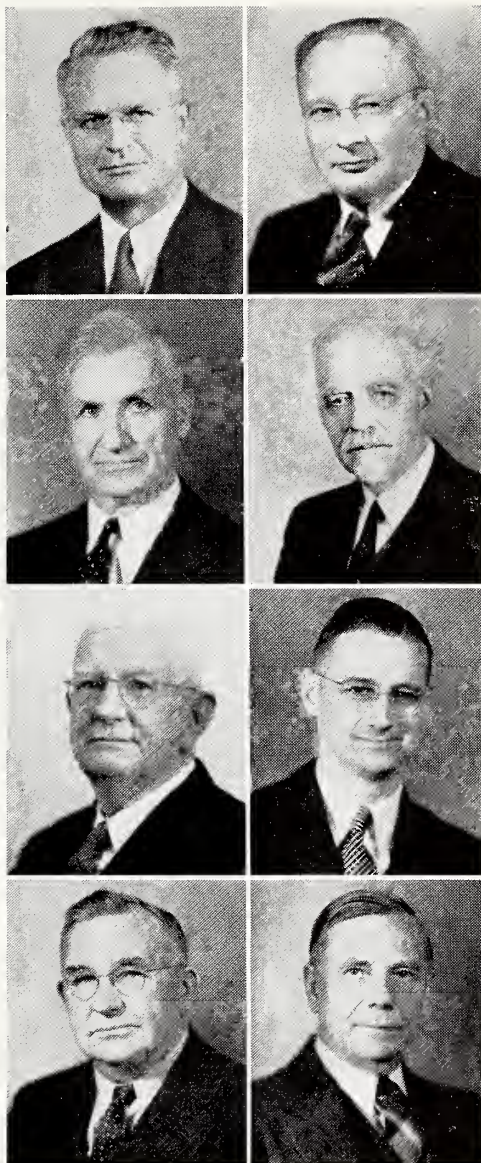
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*Bible*

Peter A. Penner, D.D.  
*Bible*

Leonard C. Kreider, Ph.D.  
*Natural Sciences—Acting Chair-  
man, Chemistry and Physics*

Jacob H. Doell, Ph.D.  
*Biology*

David H. Richert, A.M.  
*Mathematics and Astronomy*







# *Faculty*

## *Top row, left to right*

Abraham Warkentin, Ph.D., *Humanities—Chairman, German, Bible, on leave of absence*

Walter H. Hohmann, Mus.M., *Humanities—Acting Chairman, Piano and Organ*

Peter S. Goertz, Ph.D., *Philosophy, Bible.*

## *Middle row*

Honora E. Becker, A.M., *English*

Vilas R. Gerber, A.M., *Instrumental Music*

Thelma D. Reinhard, A.M., *English and Dramatics*

## *Bottom row*

Mrs. Herbert Schmidt, A.M., *French and Spanish*

Elsa M. Haury, A.B., *Voice*

Elizabeth K. Linscheid, A.M., *German, Education*





## *Faculty*

*Top row, left to right*

Lena Waltner, A.M., Art

Ralph C. Kauffman, Ph.D., Social Sciences—Chairman, Sociology, Psychology,  
Bible

Melvin Gingerich, Ph.D., History and Economics

*Middle row*

A. J. Regier, Ph.D., Applied Art and Sciences—Chairman, Teacher Training—Di-  
rector, Education

Bernhard Borgen, A.M., Business and Commerce, Manager of the Secretarial Bureau

J. J. Voth, M.S., Industrial Arts, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds

*Bottom row*

Lola M. Hill, M.S., Home Economics, Dietitian

Mildred Beecher, B.S., Physical Education

Sister Frieda Kaufman, R.N., L.H.D., Deaconess Work

# *A Letter to the Students \* \* \**

BETHEL COLLEGE  
NORTH NEWTON, KANSAS

January 29, 1944

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

To the Students of 1943-1944, Greetings!

"Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." For fifty years now, at the beginning of every school year, young people have come to Bethel College to learn and grow in wisdom and grace. At the close of each school year they have gone out into the world better prepared to serve God and mankind. All together there have been approximately 5800 of them.

Bethel College, under God, owes much to the past. The students were accompanied by the sincere interest and deep concern of their parents and relatives; the careful planning and unceasing labor of the Board of Directors and the members of the faculty; as well as by the consecrated prayers and sacrificial gifts of the many friends of Christian education in our constituency near and far.

May looking back over half a century of Bethel College history give us strength and inspiration to go into the future with high resolve to remain true to the "Faith of our Fathers." May Bethel College continue to grow as a better instrument of Christian education in the building of the Kingdom of Jesus Christ in the hearts of an ever increasing number of young people and in society at large.

Yours for a better Bethel,

*Ed G. Kaufman*  
Ed. G. Kaufman, President

\* \* \* FROM OUR PRESIDENT



# CLASSES



MARGARET EBERSOLE

## SENIOR



Margaret, of Newton, has attended Bethel for four years with a major in biology and a minor in chemistry. Entering college with a scholarship, she has been very active in academic work as well as in extra-curricular functions. Margaret holds the distinction of being president of her senior class. She has been a worthy member of the Biology Club, I.R.C., S.C.M., Cheminar, and was president of the Doxies during her junior year. With interests along the line of medicine and medical technology, she has worked as assistant X-ray technician at the Axtell clinic, of Newton, for three and a half years. She plans to continue work along that line.





MAXLYN SMITH

Introducing a dependable and efficient leader, Maxlyn, a loyal native of Pawnee Rock. "Max" chose to spend five years at Bethel before embarking upon a commerce and English teaching career. During this preparation, she served actively as a member of the Women's Governing Council for three years, holding the office of presidency during her senior year; she served for two quarters as president of her junior class, and during her last year filled the positions of class vice-president, president of the Student Christian Movement, and as Business Manager of the *Graymaroon*. She was elected by the Student body as the 1944 Representative Girl. For four years "Max" worked as a secretary in the office of the Dean and in the Business Office.

## S E N I O R





FRANCES EWY

## SENIOR



Frances came from Reedley, California, for her senior year at Bethel. Her transfer was from the University of California, which she attended after having been graduated from Reedley Junior College. During her two years at junior college she attained membership in the Xi Delta sorority and the Alpha Gamma Sigma honorary society. In addition to many other contributions Frances has made during her year at Bethel, she has been a valuable member of the Doxies and of the S.C.M. She served as secretary of her senior class. With a wide variety of extra-curricular interests, Frances especially enjoys reading, composition, and sports. She is planning to continue her education, after which she will teach in the field of social science.



RUTH FRANZEN

## SENIOR

Ruth is a home economics student with a minor in chemistry. She has attended Bethel during her junior and senior years. Her first two college years were taken at Tabor College, of Hillsboro, which is her home town, and at McPherson College. Ruth served as treasurer of the senior class, and has been active in the S.C.M. and Home Economics Club work. The piano may be said to be her hobby and she has also played the violin in the orchestra. She is interested in teaching, and hopes, some day, to continue with her home economics at Kansas State College.







RUTH DETTWEILER

## SENIOR



Ruth, whose home is in Reedley, California, was a student at Reedley Junior College before receiving her last two years of college work here at Bethel. She is majoring in history with a minor in English. What might be called Ruth's avocation is her music. She has very ably filled the position of official Bethel College Church organist. Ruth has been a member of the a cappella choir, and accompanist for the girls' trio. In 1943 she accompanied the Easter presentation of the "Seven Last Words." Ruth has been a member of the I.R.C., the Home Economics Club, the Camera Club, and has been vice-president of the Women's Governing Council and member of the Student Council during her senior year.

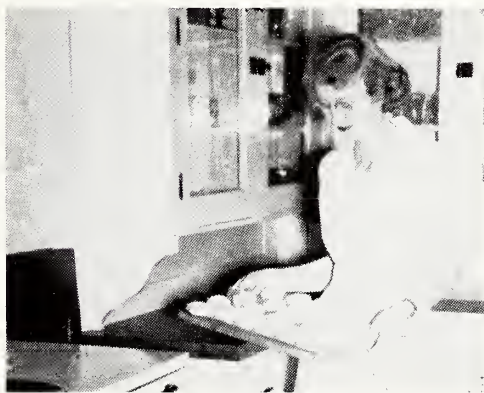




LOUISE DUERKSEN

Miss Hill's efficient home economics assistant for two years has been Louise, who answers to the roll-call of Inman. She has attended Bethel five years and during this time has been a valuable member of the Home Economics Club, having served terms as the club's president, its treasurer, and its news reporter to the *Collegian*. Louise has held the position of vice-president for one year of the Women's Governing Council. She has been a member of the S.C.M., the S.V.M., and the Art Club. A home economics major with a minor in English, Louise plans to teach in the near future and perhaps later enter the field of institutional management.

## SENIOR





MARTHA FAST

## SENIOR



Another capable home economics student with a minor interest in English is Martha. Her home town is Goessel, and she has received all of her college education at Bethel. Martha's name has appeared on the membership list of the various organizations, such as the S.C.M., S.V.M., the Home Economics Club, where she has served as news reporter, and of the band as a clarinetist. During her last year at Bethel she very ably instructed the girls of the Mennonite Bible Academy in home economics. Martha's immediate plans are to continue teaching.



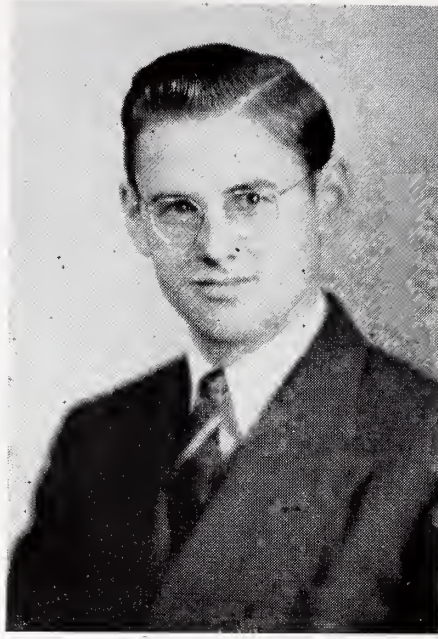
ADA FRIESEN

A music major (voice) and the '43-'44 music assistant is this lass from Lehigh. A four-year student, she was a member of the a cappella choir every year, the band (bass drum and trombone), the orchestra, and the girls' trio for two years. Ada was the soprano soloist for the "Seven Last Words" of '44. She has held employment in the Secretarial Bureau and in the Student Employment Office. She has been a member of the S.C.M. for four years, on the cabinet for three, and was a senior representative on the Student Council. With a minor in social science, Ada plans to teach and take up further study later.

## SENIOR





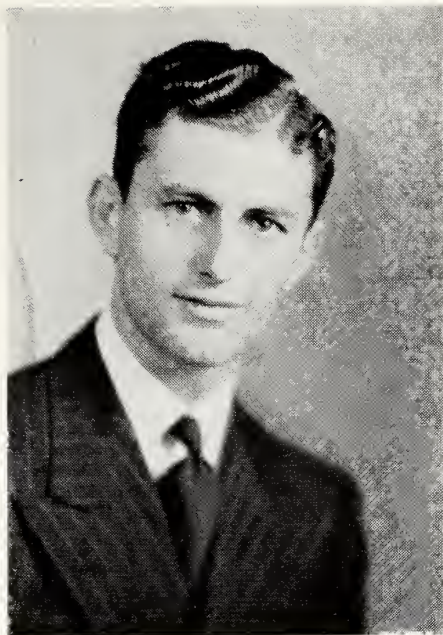


JACOB FRIESEN

## SENIOR



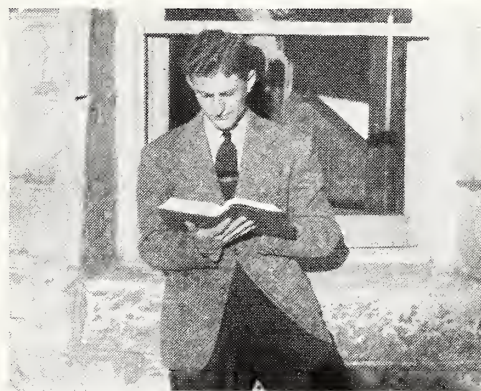
Coming to Bethel as a junior from Freeman Junior College, Jake has been a valuable member of his class. During his last year here, he was vice-president of both the S.C.M. and the S.V.M. Jake also played the memorable part of "Prexy" in the all-school play of '44, *Prexy and Son*. In the spring of 1943, he was ordained as a Minister of the Gospel in his home church in Mountain Lake, Minnesota. His ministerial internship was taken at the Reedley Mennonite Church in Reedley, California. During his senior year he also served as assistant pastor to Reverend D. C. Wedel at the Halstead Mennonite Church.

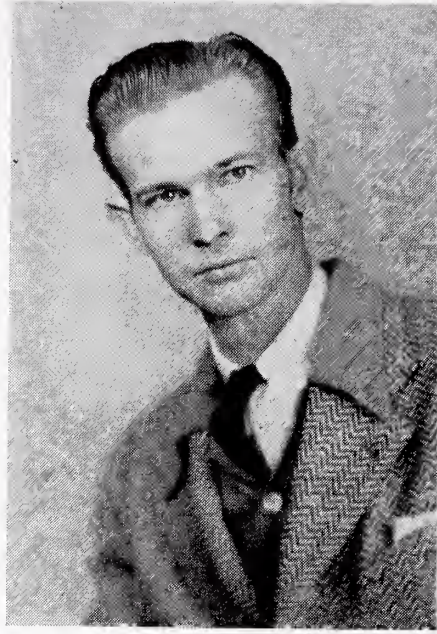


JOHN GRABER

John came to Bethel as a junior after having spent three years at the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, enrolled in a pastor's course. John is a native of Pretty Prairie. During his two years as a ministerial student at Bethel, he has been a member of the a cappella choir and of the men's quartette. John has a particular liking for sports, is an ardent tennis participant and member of the tumbling team. He has been filling the pastorate of the Gnadenberg Church near Whitewater. With an English major and a minor in history, John plans to enroll in a seminary after his work is completed at Bethel.

## SENIOR





ROY HENRY

## SENIOR



Congenial Roy Henry, of Salina, is famed on the campus for his minute inspection of each blade of grass. As explanation, during his senior year he held the biology assistantship. He has been a member of the I.R.C. and S.C.M. during all four years at Bethel, and was a senior representative on the Student Council. Roy has also taken part in dramatics and has served on the Collegian staff. He has held employment on the college farm, in the dairy, and in the dining hall. With a major in biology and a history minor, Roy is planning to teach.



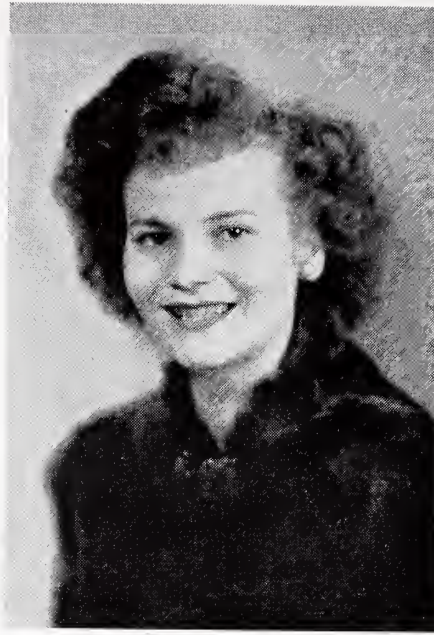


GERTRUDE HOHMANN

## SENIOR

Gertrude, a resident of the campus, is a music major (voice) with minors in English and social science. She has been an indispensable member of the a cappella choir all four years, a member of the girls' trio, and in her senior year was alto soloist for the annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah." Gertrude held the dramatics assistantship during her last year, and has been a very active member of the Alpha Psi Omega. She was a member of the S.C.M. cabinet, the Home Economics Club, the I.R.C., the Doxies, and secretary of her junior class. Gertrude had employment in the Secretarial Bureau all four years. She intends to spend her next year teaching.





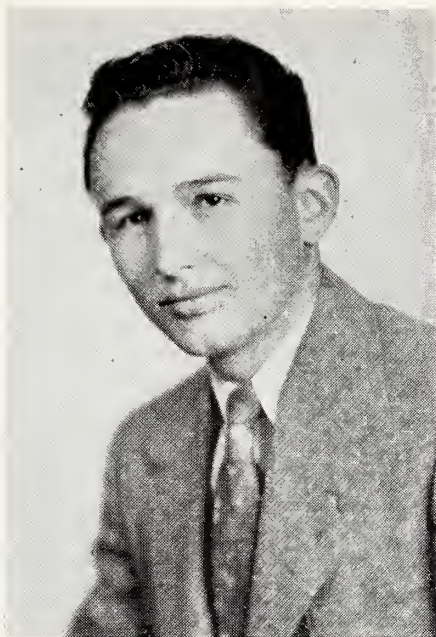
JOHNNY KLIEWER

## SENIOR



Johnnie's home is in Moundridge, and she has taken her four years of college education at Bethel. During this time she has worked toward a major in English and a minor in speech. For three years she has been a member of the "print shop gang." Some of her excess energy was expended as cheer leader of the Doxies and as a zealous worker for Alpha Psi Omega, of which she was president. Johnnie has had major roles in many of the plays presented by the dramatics department. She has been a member of the Biology Club, the S.C.M., and the Collegian Staff. During her senior year she was elected by the student body as "50th Anniversary Queen."

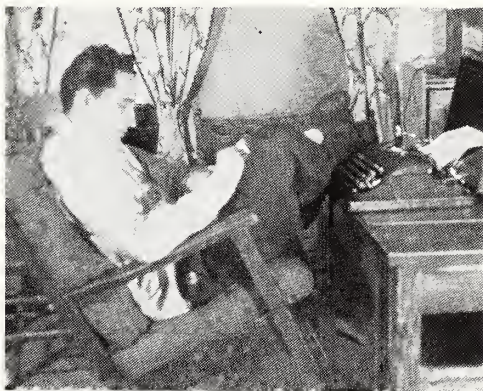




WALTER LOHRENTZ

## SENIOR

This senior's birth-place is Peking, China, where his father was a missionary. His present address, however, is McPherson. A three-year student, he has worked toward majors in chemistry and biology. Other of his college training was received at St. Louis University. "Zi" was a member of the S.C.M. and served for one year as a representative on the cabinet of that organization. He has also been a valuable member of Cheminar. A pre-medical student at Bethel, "Zi" is continuing his education in the medical division at the University of Kansas.





GEORGE NEUFELD

## SENIOR



Mr. Neufeld received his education at Hutchinson Junior College, McPherson College and Bethel before teaching for twelve years in the elementary schools of Kansas. Mr. Neufeld's home address is Inman. Returning to Bethel for his senior year with majors in Bible and Christian education, he has been a member of the a cappella choir and of the S.V.M. Mr. Neufeld has been accepted by the General Conference Foreign Mission Board and by the Congo Inland Mission to serve as missionary in the Belgian Congo, Africa.



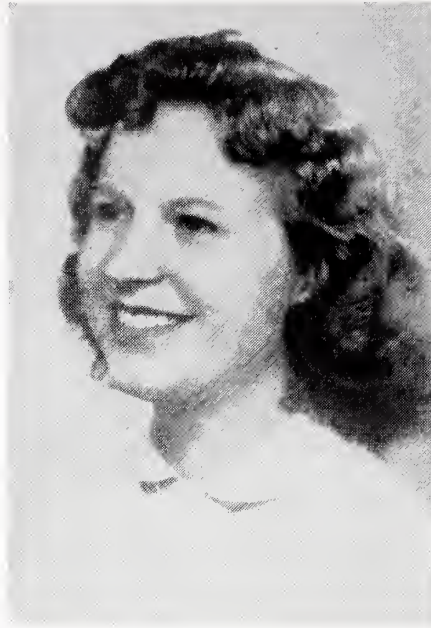
MRS. JUSTINA NEUFELD

## SENIOR

After teaching for eleven years in elementary schools, Mrs. Neufeld enrolled for her senior year at Bethel. Previous education had been acquired at Hutchinson Junior College, McPherson College and Bethel. Mrs. Neufeld is from Inman. Her major field is Bible and Christian education. During her last year at Bethel, she was a member of the S.V.M. She has been accepted by the General Conference Foreign Mission Board and by the Congo Inland Mission to serve with her husband in the Belgian Congo, Africa.







LAURINE QUIRING

## SENIOR



Laurine, of Hutchinson, enrolled as a junior at Bethel after having been graduated from Hutchinson Junior College. While attending Bethel she has taken part in inter-collegiate debate and is a member of Pi Kappa Delta fraternity. She has also been a part of the S.C.M., S.V.M., I.R.C., the Home Economics Club, and of the *Collegian* and *Gray-maroon* staffs. Laurine has taken a major in Christian education with minors in science and psychology. Above all else, she is interested in and hopes to go into post-war reconstruction work in a foreign field.



CHARLOTTE REGIER

A sociology major with a minor in Christian education is Charlotte, who received all her college work at Bethel excepting the summer session of '43, which she was privileged to spend at Goshen College in the Relief Training Unit. She held an assistantship in economics in '41-'42, and was assistant to the Dean of Women during her senior year. Charlotte, whose home is near Whitewater, has been an active member of the Philosophy Club, S.C.M., Peace Discussion Group, and of the I.R.C. She has had employment in the college laundry and in the economics department. She is interested in undertaking social and relief work.

## SENIOR





ORLETTA WARKENTIN

## SENIOR

Orletta, of Newton, has taken a vital part in dramatics during her four years at Bethel. For two years she was a member of Alpha Psi Omega. She has been a member of the Home Economics Club, S.V.M., the Women's Governing Council, the Doxies, the Collegian staff, and of the S.C.M., of which she was a member of the cabinet for two years. Orletta has played a cello in the band, the orchestra, and in instrumental ensembles. She has sung in the a capella choir for four years. With an English major and a minor in speech, she is planning for a teaching career.







ALICE WIPF

A Northerner from Onida, South Dakota, is Alice. Before coming to Bethel for her last two years of college training, she was a student of Freeman Junior College, Freeman, South Dakota. While attending that school she was active in the Y.W.C.A., which principles she carried on in the S.C.M. at Bethel. Alice has also been a member of the S.V.M. and of the Home Economics Club, of which she was president during her senior year. She has had a definite interest in dramatics and has taken part in productions both at Freeman and at Bethel. Alice has filled the position of assistant cook in the dining hall. With a major in home economics and minors in English and chemistry, she is planning to teach this fall.

## SENIOR





ERNST HARDER

Philadelphia Colony,  
Fernheim, Paraguay, S. A.

*Representative*





MAXLYN SMITH

Pawnee Rock,  
Kansas

*Boy and Girl*





Presenting Headwaiter Wiebe

Hey, it's scorching!

Skating Rink Adagio!

THE MENNONITE en route  
to Post Office

I can dream, can't I?

Winter Wonderland

Catching-up on correspondence

Absorbing the ultra-violet

Eyman, the stoker!





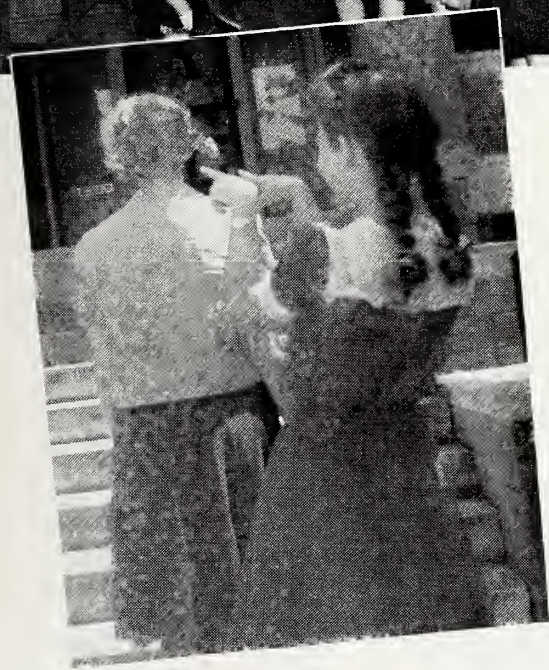
The royal table at Homecoming  
Festivities

Efficiency personified

Three Winsome Warblers

Cut it out, smarty!

All part of a liberal arts education!







Chirp, Chirp!

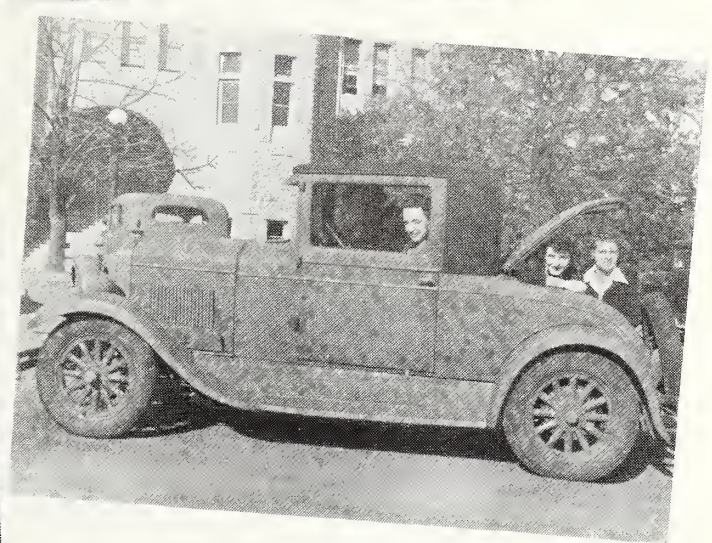
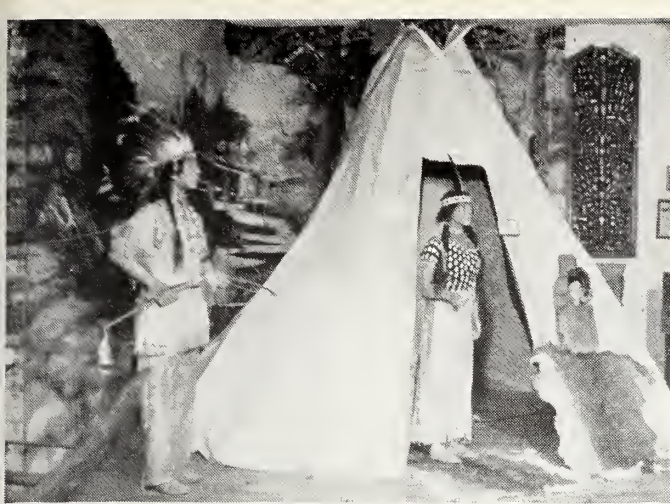
What's new this morning?

Let's have another smile, Rev.  
Settle

Hmm, pass the biscuits, Lena

What'll you have?





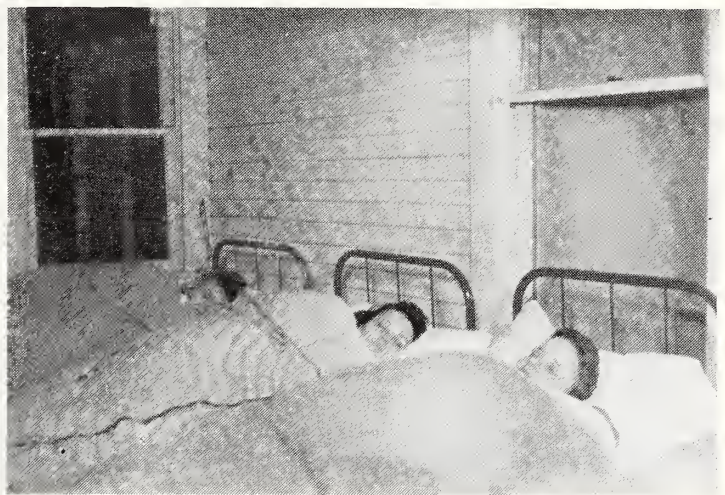
Ugh!

Clean-up cut-ups

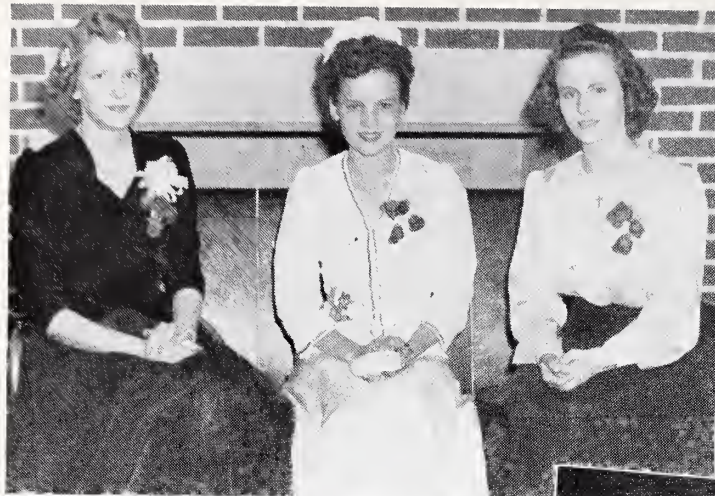
Aw, let 'er burn!

Julie and Cargo

Shhhhh!







Her Royal Highness, and  
attendants

The jungle moves into the museum

"Yo-heave ho, yo-heave ho—" ..

Pardon the intrusion, Coach

How did you get in here, Deacon?







Left to right, — VERNEY UNRUH, treasurer; FRANCIS MOYER, secretary; DOROTHY WEDEL, president; ROLAND STUCKY, vice-president.

## *Juniors*

Adams, Ruth.....Newton, Kans.

Baerg, Anna.....Lustre, Mont.

Buller, Harold...Mountain Lake, Minn.

Clegg, Catherine.....Newton, Kans.

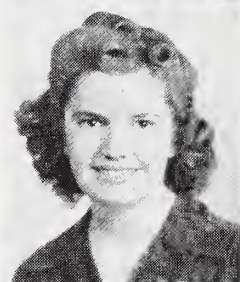




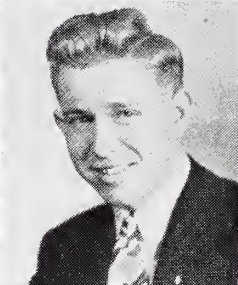
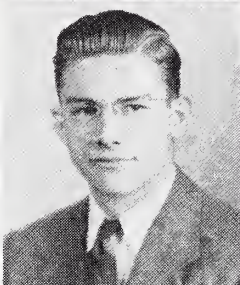
Dirks, Monica.....Great Bend, Kans.  
 Ewert, Bertha Anne....Hillsboro, Kans.



Gaede, Hulda Ruth.....Shafter, Calif.  
 Goertzen, Edna Ruth....Newton, Kans.



Harder, Ernst....Philadelphia, Colony  
                                 Fernheim, Paraguay,  
                                 So. America  
 Janzen, Erwin M.....Newton, Kans.



Kaufman, Ethel Mae.....  
                                 Moundridge, Kans.  
 Kaufman, Letha.....McPherson, Kans.



Moyer, Francis L....Deer Creek, Okla.  
 Riesen, Willis H.....Hillsboro, Kans.



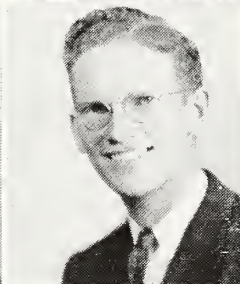
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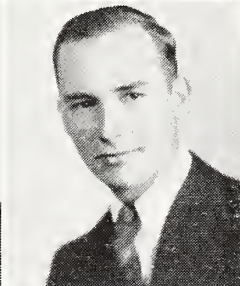
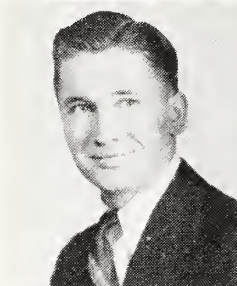
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Schmidt, Orlando... Buhler, Kans.



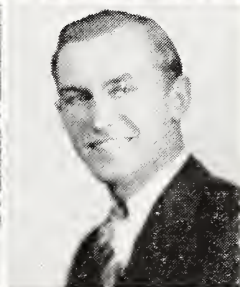
Schmidt, Raymond R... Canton, Kans.

Stucky, Roland D... Moundridge, Kans.



Tieszen, Delsie R... Marion, S. D.

Unruh, Verney... Bloomfield, Mont.



Wedel, Dorothy... Moundridge, Kans.

Wedel, Garman H.. Moundridge, Kans.



*Not on Plate—*

Ruth Goertz Rahn... Newton, Kans.

Esther Boehr Wenger... Busby, Mont.



Left to right, — ROLAND BROWN, president; ELIZABETH GATES, vice-president; WILMA SCHMIDT, secretary; SOPHIE SCHMIDT, treasurer.



## Sophomores



Brown, Roland P.....  
N. Newton, Kans.

Dick, Ethel Elizabeth.....  
Buhler, Kans.

Dirks, Evelyn.....  
Pawnee Rock, Kans.

Duerksen, Eleanor.....  
Washington, D. C.

Duerksen, Elda June.....  
Inman, Kans.

Enszen, Elda Ruth.. Visalia, Calif.



Franz, Viola R.....Lind, Wash.  
 Friesen, Magdalen.....Butterfield, Minn.



Friesen, Wilfred J.....Georgetown, Texas  
 Funk, Marie.....Hillsboro, Kans.



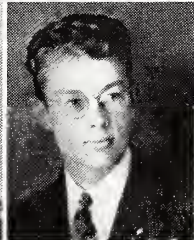
Galle, Marianna R.....Valley Center, Kans.  
 Gates, Elizabeth.....Newton, Kans.



Goering, Dorothy Anne....Moundridge, Kans.  
 Goertz, Bernice H.....Durham, Kans.



Graber, Erna.....Pretty Prairie, Kans.  
 Kaufman, Gordon D.....N. Newton, Kans.



Kaufman, Waldo.....Pretty Prairie, Kans.  
 Krehbiel, Dorothy.....Pretty Prairie, Kans.



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*Top row, left to right—*

Krehbiel, Ruth Ellen . . . Deer Creek, Okla.  
Loganbill, Vera Ruth . . . Hillsboro, Kans.

Miller, Inghram . . . . . Newton, Kans.  
Quiring, Adeline H. . . . . Mt. Lake, Minn.

*Middle row—*

Regier, Donna . . . . . N. Newton, Kans.  
Regier, Lola Mae . . . . . Mt. Lake, Minn.

Rempel, Elaine . . . . . Hillsboro, Kans.  
Schmidt, Neva . . . . . Chouteau, Okla.

*Bottom row—*

Schmidt, Sophie L. . . . . Newton, Kans.  
Schmidt, Wilma . . . . . Newton, Kans.

Siebert, L. Elaine . . . . . Larned, Kans.  
Smith, E. Ruth . . . . . Pawnee Rock, Kans.

Sprunger, H. Marguerite.....Berne, Ind.  
 Stucky, Carl J.....Moundridge, Kans.



Toews, Marianne.....Wichita, Kans.  
 Unruh, Alta Mae.....Harper, Kans.



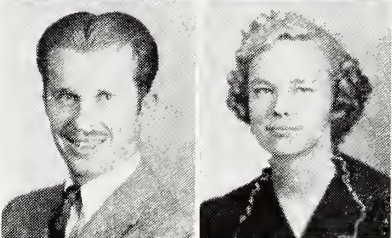
Voth, Olga.....Newton, Kans.  
 Waltner, Belva.....Freeman, S. D.



Waltner, Ellen L.....McPherson, Kans.  
 Wiebe, Abe M.....Mt. Lake, Minn.



Wiebe, Willard W.....Aberdeen, Idaho  
 Willms, Herta L.....Newton, Kans.



Zerger, Anne .....McPherson, Kans.







## Freshmen

*Left to right, — DAVID HABEGGAR, president; NAOMI SCHMIDT, secretary; BETTY REGIER, treasurer; CHARLES KIMBALL, vice-president.*

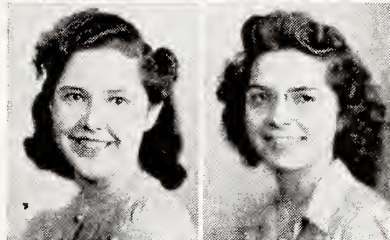


*Top row, left to right, — Paul William Andreas, Beatrice, Nebraska; Helen Kathryn Ashbaugh, Newton, Kansas; Ralph K. Bargaen, North Newton, Kansas; Phyllis June Becker, Ringwood, Oklahoma; Edna Mae Boese, Weatherford, Oklahoma. Bottom row, — Mildred H. Dick, Mountain Lake, Minnesota; Vera Marie Dirks, Turpin, Oklahoma; Carl M. Ebersole, Newton, Kansas; Amanda Ediger, Buhler, Kansas; Glenn Kenneth Epp, Newton, Kansas.*

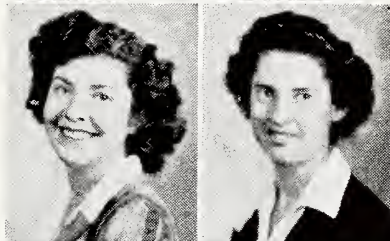
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 Eymann, Elaine..... .Reedley, Calif.



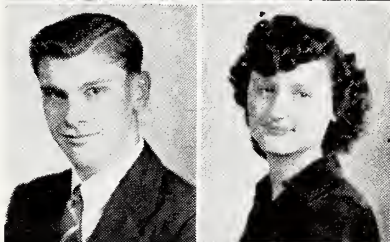
Feltz, Maxine.....Newton, Kans.  
 Franz, Marcella M.....Mt. Lake, Minn.



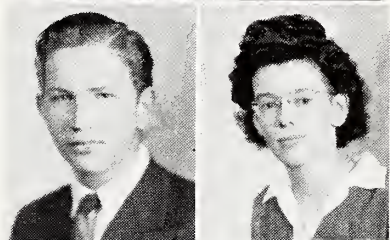
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 Goering, Luella M.....Newton, Kans.



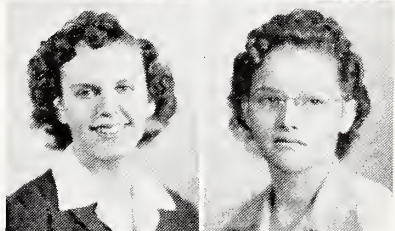
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 Goering, Violet Mae .....Moundridge, Kans.



Habegger, David L.....Busby, Mont.  
 Harms, Doreen Frances.....Whitewater, Kans.



Jantz, Adelia Marie.....Odessa, Wash.  
 Juhnke, Marie Ella.....Moundridge, Kansas







Kaufman, Arlene .....Moundridge, Kans.  
Kaufman, Glennys .....Moundridge, Kans.



Kaufman, Velora Helene.....Windom, Kans.  
Kimball, Charles Edward.....Newton, Kans.



Klaassen, Melvin L.....Whitewater, Kans.  
Kliever, Ida Mae.....Clinton, Okla.



Krehbiel, Esther Lea.....Moundridge, Kans.  
Lantis, Pearl.....Newton, Kans.



Linscheid, Katherine Anne..N. Newton, Kans.  
Loganbill, I. LaVeta.....Hillsboro, Kans.



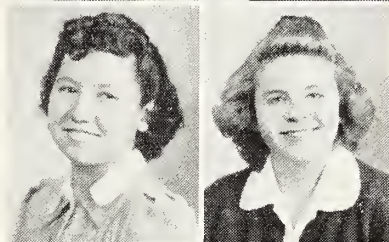
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Neufeld, Arlene D.....Hanston, Kans.



Neufeld, Elsie Ann.....Medford, Okla.  
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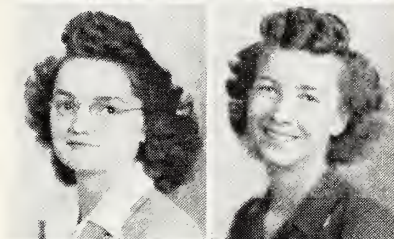
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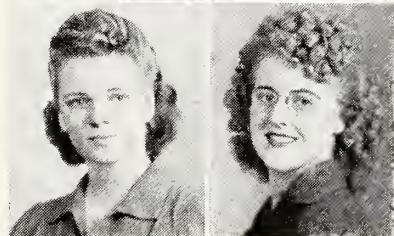
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Schmidt, Erna E.....Newton, Kans.  
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Schmidt, Naomi Marie.....Wichita, Kans.  
 Schrag, Darlyne Jane.....Moundridge, Kans.





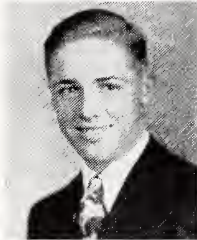
Schrag, Dorothy.....Ephrata, Wash.  
Schroeder, Rosella.....Newton, Kans.



Settle, Joan.....Strong City, Kans.  
Smith, Eloise.....Larned, Kans.



Smith, Irma L.....Pawnee Rock, Kans.  
Stucky, Arlene Mae.....Moundridge, Kans.



Unruh, Allen Lee.....Ringwood, Okla.  
Unruh, Charlene Frances.....Newton, Kans.



Unruh, Helen.....Bloomfield, Mont.  
Unruh, Renetta Marie.....Peabody, Kans.



Unruh, Viola Frances.....Newton, Kans.  
Unruh, Wilma J.....Newton, Kans.

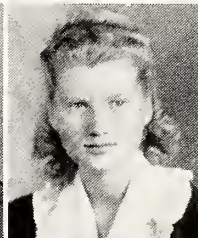
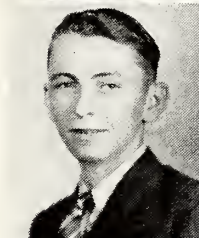
Van der Smissen, Eugene.....Buhler, Kans.

Vogt, Evelyn Lucille.....Hesston, Kans.



Voth, Alden Harry.....Walton, Kans.

Voth, Doris Mae.....Aberdeen, Idaho



Voth, Helen Viola.....Newton, Kans.

Voth, Louise M. ....Newton, Kans.



Weinbrenner, Betty Lou.....Reedley, Calif.

Wedel, Elaine L.....Newton, Kans.



Wiebe, Dorothy Helen.....Aberdeen, Idaho

Wiebe, Helen E.....Whitewater, Kans.



Wiebe, Margie Maxine.....Aberdeen, Idaho

Wollman, Willis J.....Freeman, S. D.

*Not on Plate —*

Baer, Edward F.....Aberdeen, Idaho

Becker, Leslie Clyde.....Goltry, Okla.







## Specials

Top row, left to right, — Margaret Chloe Doane, Newton, Kansas; Mrs. Eva Geiger Harshbarger, North Newton, Kansas; Leota Ethel Jantz, Newton, Kansas; Theodore Klassen, Hillsboro, Kansas; Menno H. Kliever, Cordell, Oklahoma.

Bottom row, — Ernest Mueller, Halstead, Kansas; Arnold Nickel, Mountain Lake, Minnesota; Ben P. Rahn, North Newton, Kansas; J. Mark Ross, Hesston, Kansas; Roberta Royston, Newton, Kansas.

Not on Plate, — Joanna Suderman Andres, Newton, Kansas; Elaine Bachman, Newton, Kansas; Georges Flasschoen, Newton, Kansas; Juliette Martin Kay, Newton, Kansas; Rev. Ray Keith, Newton, Kansas; James L. Sage, Kansas City, Missouri; Esley E. Schmidt, Newton, Kansas; Kathrien Wiens Wedel, Moundridge, Kansas.

## Grads...

Left to right, —

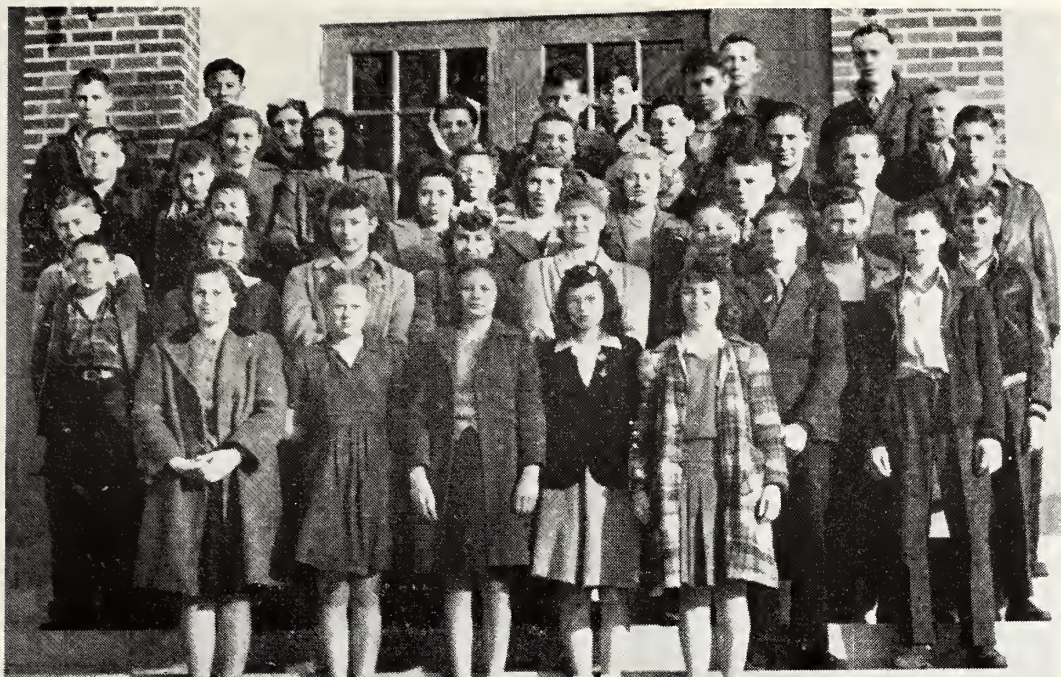
Goossen, Henry W.....North Newton, Kansas  
 Toews, Henry A.....Chicago, Illinois  
 Toews, Mary Wiens.....Chicago, Illinois  
 Von Riesen, Ronald.....North Newton, Kansas



Not on Plate, —

Regier, Arnold J.  
 North Newton, Kansas

Wenger, Earl Malcolm  
 Busby, Montana



Back row, left to right, — Richard Suderman, Marvin Wiebe, Miss Emma Linscheid, Mrs. Paul Baumgartner, Gladwyn Schmidt, Rupert Hohmann, Raymond Schmidt, Robert Suderman, Mr. A. J. Regier.

Fourth row, — Junia Schmidt, Dorothy Androes, Bernice Richert, Verna Epp, Johanna Schoenwald, Ruth Androes, George Flasschoen, Harold Schmidt, Mr. Theodore Schmidt.

Third row, — Gordon Sawatzky, Betty Androes, Kay Hamic, Evelyn Goering, Marjorie Linscheid, Maurine Siemens, Arlo Voth, James Unruh, Richard Jantzen.

Second row, — Dean Koppes, June Hamic, Carolyn Kaufman, Mary Lou Rich, Darlene Jantz, Melvin Jantz Lyle Schmidt Allan Kaufman, Nelson Reimer, Harold Andres.

Front row, — Delores Schoenwald, Lois Schmidt, Esther Andres, Kathryn Bachmann, Florence Fast.

## *Mennonite Bible Academy*

The fiftieth anniversary of Bethel College has been honored by the opening of another educational institution on its campus for the promotion of Christian training. This is the Mennonite Bible Academy, which, during its trial year, has already proved to be something promising for the future.

The aim of the academy is to equip its students with a knowledge of the Scriptures, to encourage sincere Christian living, to train workers in the service for Jesus Christ and to make it possible to acquire a high school education in connection with Bible training.

Fields of concentration offered are history, mathematics, science, language, Bible, industrial arts, typing and art.

It is also the policy of the academy to stimulate the spontaneous and enthusiastic participation of the students in some non-academic activities. At the present time such activities include music, dramatics and Bible clubs.

The director of the academy is Dr. A. Warkentin, with Mr. Theodore Schmidt acting as principal.

The membership of forty-six students is under the instruction of Dr. A. Warkentin, Mr. Theodore Schmidt, Mrs. Paul Baumgartner, Miss Emma Linscheid, Mr. Arnold J. Regier, Mr. J. J. Voth, Miss Lena Waltner, Miss Mildred Beecher, Miss Martha Fast and Mr. Vilas Gerber. Assistants and those under the supervision of faculty members are Mrs. Arnold J. Regier, Miss Adeline Quiring and Mr. Fred J. Burkhard.





California, here we come!

Goerz Hall en masse

Eating again!

Any luck, Eddie?

"Hark the Herald Angels Sing—"







*Activities*  
*and*  
*Organizations*

# Student Council



Standing, left to right, — ROY HENRY, vice-president; LOIS LOHRENTZ; WILFRED FRIESEN; DONNA REGIER; RALPH BARGEN; RUTH DETTWEILER.

Seated, — ERNST HARDER, president; MARIANNE TOEWS, secretary; ORLANDO SCHMIDT, treasurer; ADA FRIESEN.



The Student Council is not regarded as a club. Its members are the representatives of their classes in a system of democratic student government. It proposes to secure co-operation of students with the faculty, to foster a dynamic school spirit and to serve as a student governing council with responsibility for encouraging proper conduct. Its thirteen members consist of three seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, two freshmen and three faculty members who are the dean of the college, the dean of women and the dean of men. Meetings are held every two weeks, with special meetings called by the president when business is urgent. Its activities are many. It

acts as a supervisory power over all student organizations. In co-operation with the journalism department of the school, the council elects editors of the "Collegian" and the Graymaroon. The Pep Club is directly supervised by it; and it sponsors such activities as the fall mixer, clean-up day, the all-school picnic, homecoming and the farcity review.

The Student Council sincerely endeavors to build up and maintain the right kind of school traditions and to foster proper school spirit. This year Ernst Harder acted as president. He was assisted by Vice-President Roy Henry, Secretary Marianne Toews and Treasurer Orlando Schmidt.

# The Grammaroon

lege Press, was asked to be technical advisor. Their advice and help was well given and without it the staff would have been unable to publish this book as it is.

The editor then proceeded in choos-



Standing, left to right, — MAXLYN SMITH, Business Manager; CATHERINE CLEGG, former Business Manager; MARIE FUNK, Historian; LAURINE QUIRING, Organizations Section; MARIANNE TOEWS, Senior Section.

Seated, DOROTHY WEDEL, Associate Editor; ROLAND BROWN, Editor.

Not on Plate, — HULDA HAEDE, Assistant Business Manager; CHARLES KIMBALL, Staff Photographer.

Although the Student Council voted for the publication of another yearbook this year, both it and the student body possible because of war conditions. feared that its publication might not be Bolstering up courage, the Student Council made its appointments. Chosen to head this stupendous but honorary task was Editor Roland Brown. Dorothy Wedel was selected as assistant editor. Catherine Clegg's resignation as business manager in the middle of the second quarter was filled by Maxlyn Smith, formerly serving as assistant business manager. Hulda Gaede replaced the vacancy caused by Maxlyn's advancement.

Dr. Gingerich accepted the position of faculty and photographic advisor, while Mr. Burkhard, of the Bethel Col-

ing the remaining people of the staff. All diligently sacrificed hours that a yearbook might not only be possible but that it might be the best one that could ever hope to be published under present unfavorable circumstances. Conscientiously and unceasingly the staff labored to make a dream into a reality and to make it unique and outstanding in honor of Bethel College's fiftieth anniversary.

After each staff member had completed his assigned task, there was still a question in his mind as to whether he had done his share of the work to the best of his ability. Eagerly he awaited for the time when the book would be a finished product, and we hope that you are pleased with the result of our efforts.





## *The Collegian*

Standing, left to right, — BERTHA EWERT, Exchange Manager; MONICA DIRKS, Business Manager; VIOLA FRANZ, News Editor; KENNETH EPP, Advertising Manager.

Seated, — ELLEN WALTNER, Associate Editor; VERNEY UNRUH, Editor-in-Chief; ELDA ENSZ, Circulation Manager.



The *Collegian* is the channel through which the student body conveys news, advocates opinion and communicates with those not living on the campus. This year we were able to publish it only every other week. Occasionally it was not published quite regularly because of the interference of vacations and examinations.

This paper is one of the projects carried out by our Student Council, who in co-operation with the Journalism department of the college, elects the editor and his associate editor during the close of the second quarter of the school year. The new electees take up their duties during the third quarter. Editor for the last quarter of the 1942-43 year and the first two quarters of the 1943-44 year was Verney Unruh. He was aided by Ellen Waltner, associate editor, a news editor, business manager, circulation manager, exchange manager,

advertising manager, an editor of sports, an art editor, eight news writers, eleven feature writers and two proof-readers and compositors. Miss Becker served as the faculty advisor. She gave many valuable suggestions that helped make the paper popular and interesting. Ellen Waltner is the newly elected editor and will be assisted by associate editors Katherine Linscheid and Ralph Borgen.

The Social Mirror, Capers on the Campus and This Is My View are some of the outstanding features of this paper especially enjoyed by the student body. This year it also included a new idea, that of giving one page to the newly established academy.

This paper gives both academy and college students who have ability along journalistic lines and who like that type of work actually experienced in the publishing of a newspaper.



## *Governing Council*

*Standing, left to right, — VERA RUTH LOGANBILL, Secretary; RUTH DETTWEILER, Vice-President.*

*Seated, — NEVA SCHMIDT; VIOLA FRANZ; MAXLYN SMITH, President.*

*Not on Plate, — FRANCES MOYER.*



For six years this council has governed the body of girls staying in campus dormitories, and has built up a spirit of co-operation among the girls, their house mothers and the dean of women.

Representatives from each dormitory to the council are chosen by all women resident students. Membership includes one girl from each house except Carnegie, from which there three because of its size.

Meetings are held each Wednesday night under the leadership of President Maxlyn Smith, Vice-President Ruth Dettweiler and Secretary-Treasurer Vera Loganbill. The sponsor is the Dean of Women, Miss Linscheid.





## Home Economic Club

Back row, left to right, — Edna Ruth Goertzen; Viola Unruh; Irma Smith; Elsie Neufeld; Margie Wiebe.

Middle row, — Miss Hill, faculty sponsor; Ethel Kaufman; Gertrude Hohmann; Alice Wipf; Bertha Ewert; Ruth Adams; Betty Regier; Ruth Ewert; Ruth Franzen; Elaine Wedel; Viola Mae Ewert; LaVeta Loganbill; Ruth E. Krehbiel; Marcella Franz; Marguerite Sprunger; Elaine Rempel; Kathryn Ashbaugh.

Front row, — LOUISE DUERKSEN, president; LOLA MAE REGIER, vice-president; NEVA SCHMIDT, secretary; ADELINE QUIRING, treasurer; ERNA GRABER, news reporter; RUTH DETTWEILER, song leader; Doris Mae Voth; Laurine Quiring.

The Home Economics Club, under the supervision of Miss Hill, builds its programs around a variety of subjects in order to present all phases and fields of home economics. Its activities this year included the Mennonite Cook Book Project, rules of etiquette for the dining hall, field trips, a Christmas party and the senior sneak-day breakfast.

The Elementary Teacher's Club cultivates a better understanding of problems arising in the elementary school and learns how to deal with them effectively. Socials include a Christmas party, a teacher's homecoming and a spring picnic. This year the club was presided over by Vera Loganbill, president; Doreen Harms, vice-president; and Anne Zerger, secretary-treasurer. Miss Linscheid is the faculty sponsor.

Back row, left to right, — Arlene Stucky; Rosella Schroeder; Luella Goering; Wilma Unruh.

Middle row, — Esther Lea Krehbiel; Dorothy Goering; Glennys Kaufman; Darlyne Schrag; Arlene Kaufman; Marie Juhnke; Charlene Unruh; Linda Nickel; Mary Ann Rempel.

Front row, — Wilma Schmidt; ANNE ZERGER, secretary; VERA RUTH LOGANBILL, president; DOREEN HARMS, program chairman; Violet Goering; Ella Regier.

## Elementary Teachers Club





## *Cheminar*

Back row, left to right, — Roland Stucky, Paul Andreas, Wilfred Friesen, Kenneth Epp, Alden Voth, Eugene van der Smissen.  
 Middle row, — Ruth Smith, Maxine Feltz, Willis Wollman, Carl Ebersole, Evelyn Vogt, Adelia Jantz, Viola Unruh.  
 Front row, — Walter Lohrentz, Dr. L. C. Kreider, ERWIN JANZEN, President; FRANCIS MOYER, Secretary-Treasurer; WILLIS RIESEN, Vice-President; Katherine Linscheid, Lois Lohrentz.

Members of the Cheminar hold discussions on items of historical and current interest to chemists, perform experiments and make visits to industrial plants and to the Wichita Section of the American Chemical Society. The club is sponsored by Dr. L. C. Kreider. Erwin Janzen is president; Willis Riesen, vice-president; Frances Moyer, secretary-treasurer.

The International Relations Club deals with the underlying principles of international conduct, law and organization. This year two of its outstanding events were discussions held by Dr. No-Yong Park, a Chinese student of the Far Eastern situation, and by Dr. Haridas Muzumbar of India. Marie Funk served as president. Program chairman was Roy Henry and Ruth Smith acted as secretary. The faculty advisor was Dr. Gingerich.

Standing, left to right, — Katherine Linscheid, Helen Voth, Helen Schmidt, Carl Stucky, Laurine Quiring, Ralph Borgen, Renetta Unruh, Ruth Franzen, Ruth Dettweiler, Darlyne Schrag, Lois Lohrentz.  
 Sitting, RUTH SMITH, Secretary; ROY HENRY, Program Chairman; MARIE FUNK, President; Dr. Melvin Gingerich.

## *International Relations Club*







## *Religious Activities*

Bethel College is a Christian institution of the Mennonite Church. A great deal of stress is given to the religious life of each individual through the daily assemblies we have for fellowship with God and man and a re-examination of one's own Christian life. Meditations are conducted by members of the faculty, outside speakers and musicians under the direction of Dr. H. A. Fast.

Each student is welcomed by the Bethel College Church with Reverend Lester Hostetler as pastor. Students who do not get to attend regular church services in their home communities are invited to become associate members of the Bethel College Church.

The Student Christian Movement is given the responsibility of the Wednesday chapel period. It also sponsors Sunday night meetings in the student union room. Christian Life Week is sponsored by the Student Christian Movement and was held from October 4 to 8 this year. Reverend W. B. Weaver was the guest speaker. He spoke to the student body during the regular chapel periods and each evening. Each

address of the evening was preceded by a worship service led by one of the students.

The Student Volunteer Movement aids in carrying out religious activities of our college. It holds outstanding discussions and inspirational programs every Tuesday night. Even more impressive than this are its prayer meetings. This organization lets its light shine through deputation work and in this way reaches many communities, Mennonite and others.

Bible Week at the college is an annual event. One week each year is set aside for this purpose. The program is planned for the public. Ministers, superintendents, teachers and other church officials and Christian workers are urged to attend the important meetings. Students are also given the privilege to attend the meetings. Bible Week this year was held from March 6 to 10. Every afternoon and evening session included two speakers. The main speaker this year was Dr. W. O. Trueblood, who each afternoon gave lessons from the book of Hebrews and

each evening spoke on some subject related to our trying times.

Religious activities include even more than this. There are so many little things done that mean so much. A heart-to-heart talk and prayer with a teacher have become invaluable to members of the student body. We cherish the religious activities of Bethel College.



## S. C. M.

The Student Christian Movement takes up the responsibility to minister to the Christian needs of the students by bringing them into a deeper under-

standing and a richer fellowship with God.

The Wednesday morning program committee of the cabinet has charge of the devotional assembly every Wednesday morning. The Sunday night program committee sponsors Sunday night meetings in the student union room. The project committee sponsors a reception at the opening of the school year as well as the Big-Little Sister and Big-Little Brother program where former students act as sisters and brothers to new students. It also arranges for a Christmas party and gifts for poor children in Newton.

Besides these three committees, the cabinet also includes an artist and a newspaper correspondent, who publishes "On the Serious Side" in our school paper. Maxlyn Smith served as president; Jake Friesen was vice-president; the secretary was Orletta Warkentin and the treasurer was Roland Brown.

*Standing, left to right, — Bernice Goertz; Robert Goering; Eleanor Duerksen; Viola Franz; Wilfred Friesen; Verney Unruh; Ada Friesen; Gertrude Hohmann; Ruth E. Krehbiel.*

*Seated, — ORLETTA WARKENTIN, secretary; DOROTHY WEDEL; ADELIA JANTZ; ROLAND BROWN, treasurer; MAXLYN SMITH, president; JACOB FRIESEN, vice-president; DR. FAST, faculty advisor. Not on Plate, — Elizabeth Gates.*







Standing, left to right, — BERTHA EWERT, program chairman; HAROLD BULLER, prayer chairman; LOLA MAE REGIER, secretary-treasurer; DR. FAST, faculty advisor; ELDA ENSZ, publicity chairman.

Seated, — ORLANDO SCHMIDT, president; JACOB FRIESEN, vice-president.

*S. V. M.*



To provide spiritual and Christian fellowship, to provide opportunities for active Christian service to those who have given their life to Christ for that purpose and to promote missionary interest and zeal on the campus, is the aim and purpose of this organization.

The fifty members of this organization under the direction of the cabinet of the Student Volunteers hold regular meetings in fellowship with other students on Tuesday nights and prayer meetings on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays after the dinner hour. The regular Tuesday evening programs consist of student discussions and talks, outside speakers, Bible study, missionary programs, and prayer services. The cabinet also arranges deputation programs given in surrounding churches on Sunday nights. This year quite a number of programs were given in the Newton Mennonite Church. Programs were also given in such communities

as Pretty Prairie, Moundridge, Inman, Buhler, Hutchinson and Goessel. Every other Sunday night programs are rendered for the academy.

Prayer meetings are open to everyone. Scripture memorization is reviewed at each Tuesday night meeting. The publicity chairman keeps up the "Thought for the Day" in the main hall of the Administration Building. This organization considers such subjects as "Mission Work," "Doctrinal Questions," "Fellowship of Christians" and "Prayer."

Dr. H. A. Fast is the sponsor. This year Orlando Schmidt served as president. Vice-President Jake Friesen's resignation on January 4 was filled by Abe Wiebe. Lola Mae Regier was secretary-treasurer, with Bertha Ewert serving as program chairman; Elda Enszt was publicity chairman and Harold Buller, prayer chairman.

# Seminar



Standing, left to right, — Jacob Friesen, Ernst Harder, Verney Unruh, Willard Wiebe, Waldo Kaufman, Harold Buller, Henry Goossen, Orlando Schmidt, Carl Stucky, David Habeggar, John Graber, Abe Wiebe.

Seated, — Dr. Fast, Menno Kliewer, Henry Toews, Arnold Nickel, George Neufeld, Ben Rahn, Ronald Von Riesen.

Not on Plate, — Garman Wedel.



The seminar gives practical training to ministerial students in the preparation and delivery of sermons and the conducting of church services. Ministerial students get various opportunities to preach or assist in church work. Problems are approached through the give and take of discussion with the purpose of gaining a helpful answer.

On Sundays the seventeen members go out to preach in various neighboring churches or listen to a fellow class member conduct a service.

During class periods, constructive criticism is given of sermons listened to either in church or school. Many subjects are also discussed, such as the

public reading of scriptures, the selection of sermons, the subject and text, preparation of the sermon, delivery of the sermon, its purpose and book reports.

The actual direction of the seminar is in the hands of the head of the Bible Department, Dr. H. A. Fast. The college committee on ministerial studies also includes President E. G. Kaufman and Dean P. S. Goertz.

Bethel strongly emphasizes Christian Education. Not only are those entering the ministry well prepared, but also those lay students who are elevated in spiritual life through class work and actual religious experiences.





Back row, left to right, — Carl Ebersole, Robert Goering, Roy Henry, Gladwyn Schmidt, Carl Stucky, Jacob Friesen, Waldo Kaufman, Wilfred Friesen, Allen Unruh, Orlando Schmidt, Kenneth Epp, Roland Brown, Raymond Schmidt.

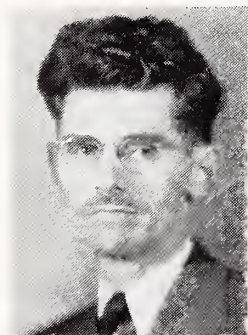
Third row, — Henry Toews, Verney Unruh, Ethel Dick, Adelia Jantz, Renetta Unruh, Anne Zerger, Viola Franz, David Habegger, Ernst Harder, Melvin Klaassen, Alden Voth, Eugene van der Smitten, Roland Stucky.

Second row, — Letha Kaufman, Betty Regier, Mildred Dick, Evelyn Dirks, Bertha Ewert, Alta Mae Unruh, Ada Friesen, Hulda Gaede, Viola Unruh, Helen Wiebe, Magdalen Friesen, Ethel Ellen Schmidt, Bernice Goertz, Belva Walter, Delsie Tieszen.

Front row, — Ruth Dettweiler, Vera Ruth Loganbill, Edna Ruth Goertzen, Gertrude Hohmann, Wilma Unruth, Violet Goering, Arlene Kaufman, Erna Schmidt, Elaine Wedel, Joan Settle, Naomi Schmidt, Katherine Linscheid, Orletta Warkentin, Prof. Hohmann.

## Capella Choir

Five days a week fifty-five students gather to study and learn good, sacred a cappella music. The carefully selected members of this class are admitted into the chorus by an examina-



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PROFESSOR HOHMANN  
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tion, which is conducted at the opening of the school year.

Prior to the last two years the a cappella has given many programs in places which took them in all directions through the United States. Because of the war, they have had to render their services in adjacent localities.

Their entrance into the church on Sunday mornings quiets every soul. Their call to worship draws each individual nearer to the heart of God. Prayer is made more meaningful through their response. Through their anthems the Father of Mankind is praised. Their stately yet humble recessional falls as a benediction upon the services for the day. Then, too, the choir certainly has added to other programs, socials, conferences and rallies on the campus.





Left to right, — Anne Zerger, Louise Voth, Elaine Siebert, Robert Goering, Melvin Klaassen, Ada Friesen, Adelia Janiz, Marianne Toews, Eleanor Duerksen, Carl Ebersole, Eugene van der Smissen, Irma Smith, Kenneth Epp, Ruth Smith, Joan Settle, David Habeggar, Betty Regier, Lois Jean Riesen, LaVeta Loganbill, Prof. Gerber, Marcella Franz, Monica Dirks, Adeline Quiring, Wilfred Friesen, Ethel Ellen Schmidt, Delsie Tieszen.



## Band

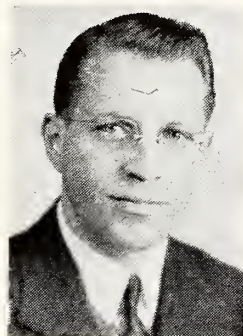
One of the outstanding musical features of Bethel College is the band. Last year having experienced what it means to be without a school band, we have doubly appreciated the efforts of Mr. Vilas Gerber in organizing one. The band makes available a channel through which the thirty-six students are able to develop one of the aesthetic phases of their personalities and fosters an appreciation in all who sense the pulsating rhythm and energetic counter-melody of its music.

The band renders concerts for various occasions at the school. This year, though we had no actual athletic contests with other colleges, the band

served as a "pep-er-upper" during games held between different dormitories on the campus. It is the ambition of the instructor and his students that soon it may rise to such a degree of importance that after the war it will travel to render concerts, going north, south, east and west.



PROFESSOR GERBER







## Messiah

In order to accomplish its aims, the Bethel College Oratorio Society was organized by Professor B. F. Welty in 1900. The organization rendered high-class musical compositions and supplemented the work of the chorus class. Among some of the first oratorios rendered were: "The Creation," the "Elijah," "The Redemption," and "The Holy City."

In 1925, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the society was celebrated by the rendition of "The Creation" as a memorial of Professor B. F. Welty, who twenty-five years earlier organized the society which at that time had sung "The Creation."

Handel's "Messiah" was sung for the first time in 1905 under the direction of Professor Welty. The present rendition, under the direction of Professor Walter H. Hohmann, is the sixteenth consecu-

tive year of its rendition and the third time it has been sung in Memorial Hall. It is usually given the Sunday before Christmas Vacation.

The members that make up The Newton Community Chorus, the new name of the College Oratorio Society, conferred upon it in 1933, are individuals from the campus, Newton and nearby localities. The a cappella choir is also a part of this chorus. The singers are accompanied by an orchestra. The pianist this year was Miss Alta Unruh. The soloists were Miss Vera Friesen, music instructor at Ramsom, soprano; Miss Gertrude Hohmann, senior at Bethel College and a member of the girls' trio, alto; Mr. Robert Senner, music instructor at Buhler, tenor; and Mr. Lester Weatherwax, director of the Pioneer Quartet, broadcasting over Station KFBI, bass.



"PREXY AND SON"

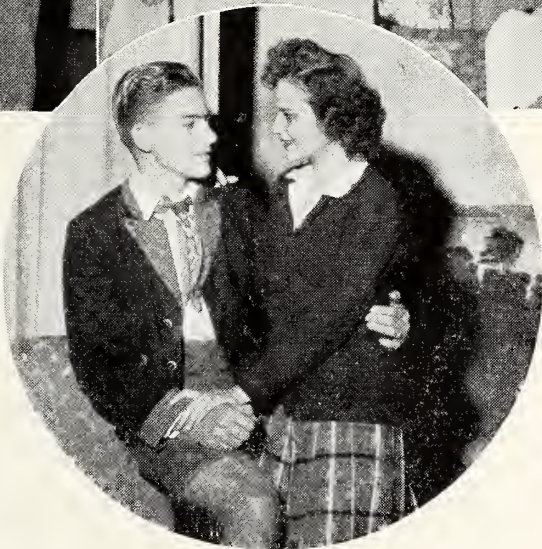


## *Dramatics*

"Letters to Lucerne" was the first theatrical production of the college this year, given on November 12, 1943, the third college play to be staged in Memorial Hall. Centering around the feelings which war creates, it was well chosen and in perfect harmony with the time.

The second play to be staged was Fred Eastman's popular play, "Prexy and Son," presented on February 18, 1944. It showed a college in financial stress, accompanied by internal troubles of student discipline and morale. Its performance will be well remembered since it was given in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of Bethel College.

The third play to be given by the junior and senior classes combined has not been selected. In former years each class presented its own play. During the last two years, due to smaller classes and other reasons, the two classes have combined.



Scenes from

"LETTERS TO LUCERNE"

Besides the three major plays given each year, dramatics classes produce plays which they are often asked to give for other organizations of the college, other schools, churches, and clubs in down-town Newton and the surrounding communities.

Bethel is well known for its excellent dramatic productions and its superior dramatics coach, Miss Thelma Reinhard, who left to take up domestic Red Cross service.





## *Alpha Psi Omega*

Back row, left to right, — Helen Weibe, Joan Settle, Ellen Waltner, Marianne Toews, Katherine Linscheid, Orletta Warkentin, Gertrude Hohmann.  
Front row, — Waldo Kaufman, Dorothy Wedel, Betty Regier.

The Alpha Psi Omega is a national honorary dramatics fraternity. To be eligible for membership students must participate in some dramatic production. Other requirements are set up by the national council. President Johnnie Kliewer's withdrawal from school at the close of the first quarter left Ellen Waltner as head of the club by reason of her vice-presidency. Orletta Warkentin served as secretary-treasurer. Miss Reinhard was the sponsor.

The Pi Kappa Delta offers numerous and varied opportunities for those capable and interested in intercollegiate work in the speech arts. This year Bethel entered its debaters in a number of contests held at Kansas colleges. Bethel also entered three oratorical contests. Members receive the society's journal and key. This club is sponsored by Dr. Gingerich.

## *Pi Kappa Delta*

Left to right, — Willis Wollman, Laurine Quiring, Carl Stucky, Ralph Bargaen, Charles Kimball, Catherine Clegg.





*Standing, left to right, — ORLETTA WARKENTIN; LETHA KAUFMAN, Secretary-Treasurer; KATHERINE LINSCHIED; GERTRUDE HOHMANN; FRANCES EWY; MARIANNE TOEWS; MONICA DIRKS, President; BETTY LOU WEINBRENNER; RUTH E. KREHBIEL; BETTY GATES; VIOLA UNRUH; DONNA REGIER, Vice-President; NAOMI SCHMIDT. Kneeling, — ELAINE EYMANN; BETTY REGIER; DOROTHY WEDEL, Stunt Captain; KATHRYN ASHBAUGH; BELVA WALTNER; WILMA SCHMIDT; JOHNNIE KIEWER; RUTH ADAMS; CATHERINE CLEGG; MARGARET EBERSOLE.*

*Not on Plate, — Dorothy Krehbiel; Sophie Schmidt.*

## Doxies

This organization is in reality the girls' pep club of Bethel College. It is this club that gives our football, basketball and track teams real support. They are the ones that remind us of an approaching game and instill in us school spirit which encourages our athletes to work hard for victory. During games they lead in the cheering and sell candy, ice-cream and pop to spectators. In addition to these activities they are also engaged in selling tickets to entertainments and ushering at school functions.

Because we had no inter-collegiate games this year, the Doxies served primarily as a service club. The members planned and sponsored various recrea-

tional activities for the student body such as games between dormitories and parties. This year its outstanding feature was the supervision of the fiftieth anniversary homecoming banquet.

Doxies are selected by the student body from a list of girls having shown their desire to belong to this club. Membership is limited to twenty-five girls. They are well known not only for their pep but for their maroon and white uniforms, although this year uniforms were not compulsory because of the omission of games between different colleges.

Officers include Monica Dirks, president; Donna Regier, vice-president; Letha Kaufman, secretary-treasurer; and Dorothy Wedel, stunt captain. Mrs. Ralph C. Kauffman is the sponsor of this organization.





BUSINESS OFFICE

## Labor

Believing that not only study and play is essential to an individual who wants to be well developed spiritually, mentally, socially and physically, but also believing that work is essential, the college has a plan whereby "Everybody Works at Bethel." Every student who attends the college works two hours a week to cover the increase which was made in the rate of tuition. This is the second year for the carrying out of such a plan.

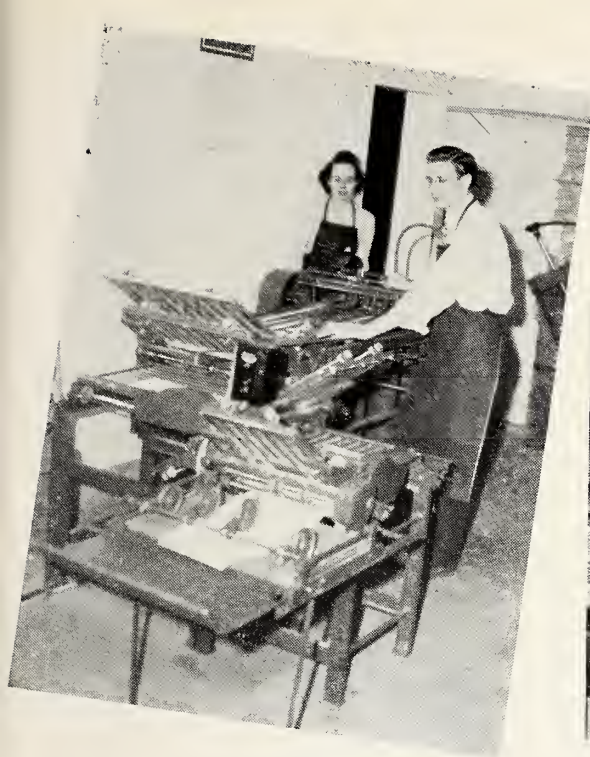
But aside from this, Bethel College has a work program whereby those students who lack money to go to school can work part of their way through school. As one observes the student workers, one cannot help but feel that they enjoy it and are benefiting from it in many ways.

As a result of its success, over seventy-five per cent of the students work

at regular jobs exclusive of their tuition labor, ranging in time from five or six hours a week up to fifteen and twenty hours a week. There are a few who work more, but they have reduced their school work accordingly.

The majority of these students work right on the campus; a few work in town. Mr. A. Theodore Mueller is the new dean of labor this year. He has made seventeen placements in the administrative offices, five in both academic offices and laboratories, sixteen in both secretarial work and the print shop, twenty-six in the dining hall, six in both library and book store and four in both janitorial and laundry service. Nineteen students are working in town.

Students who apply for a job indicate their qualifications and the type of work they would enjoy doing. The general aim and purpose of the employment office is then to place the student in that field of employment which his qualifications warrant and which he will enjoy. Thus, it will inculcate in



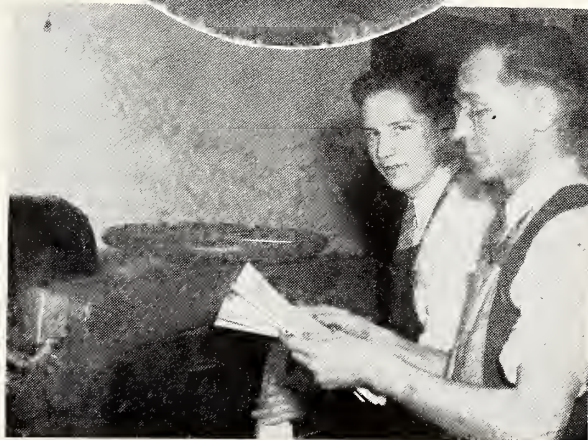
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the individual an appreciation for work and it will not be to him something that he feels he has to do unwillingly and grudgingly just to get through school. It will also teach him such things as the value of money, budgeting, and the value of an education; and it will develop in him a greater appreciation of the manifold things his parents and friends have done for him.

Thus, when you visit Bethel, see the student not only bent over his book in the ordinary classroom, but come see him at work in shop, office, kitchen, dairy and inn. Bethel College is indeed a picture of activity.



THE KITCHEN  
THE SECRETARIAL BUREAU  
THE PRINT SHOP





# CALENDAR

## August

- 31 Back to school with freshmen tests, campus tours, and registration.

## September

- 2 Opening activities for the year and starting acquaintance between faculty and students is the S. C. M. Reception in Student Union.
- 3 Students attend first classes. Annual Fall Mixer sponsored by Student Council in front of Science Hall. How many times did you shake hands?
- 5 College Sunday School class organizes. School Opening Program: Dr. Fast speaks on "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart . . . and thy neighbor as thyself," followed by a reception.
- 9 Professor Gerber organizes College band.
- 9, 10, 13 Professor Hohmann selects sixty-two members for A Cappella.
- 10 Elected to head S. C. M. this year is Maxlyn Smith. Other executives are Jacob Friesen, Orletta Warkentin and Roland Brown.
- 12 Sunday night S. C. M. programs begin with Professor Bergen reporting on his eight weeks' tour of C. P. S. camps.
- 13 Students elect class officers and choose Student Council representatives. Newly elected and former S. C. M. officers assume duties to make plans for ensuing year.
- 17 First Collegian of this year printed under editorship of Verney Unruh assisted by Ellen Waltner.
- 22 Seventh hour boys' gym class rolls over the first hour class 23-16 in the first game of basketball.
- 24 Doxies sponsor an evening of fun with a Faculty-Letter Club volleyball game, a boxing match, and a girls' basketball game.
- 25 Beginning a series of Saturday evening educational pictures is a film pertaining to citrus fruits.
- 26 S. C. M. sponsors Friendship Fire.
- 29 Faculty members and students enjoy a reception given by the Bethel College Church.
- 30 Georges Flasschoen, a Belgian refugee student, comes to Bethel.

## October

- 1 Memorial Hall Series opens ticket sale. Eliot James presents demonstrations of the Liquid Air World. Faculty and staff members have semi-annual picnic in Memorial Hall.
- 4, 8 Annual Christian Life Week with Rev. William Weaver, Danvers, Illinois, speaking on "Jesus, Lord, and Saviour."
- 12 Dr. P. J. Wedel speaks on 55th Anniversary of Cornerstone Laying; topic: "Faith of the Founders of Bethel College."
- 13 First hour boys' gym class gains sweet revenge for previous defeat 20-16.
- 15 Freshmen and sophomore classes each take an outing via hayracks.
- 16 Bethel is host to Student Peace Conference with representatives from Friends, Hesston, McPherson, and Habor; Paul Harris, world traveler and lecturer, leads discussion on the "Implications of the Peace Testimony in Personal and Social Living."

- 17 Thirteenth Annual Parent-Student Day with open house, program, and reception. In the evening, with reference to Founders' Day, President C. E. Scofield of Southwestern College speaks on "Christian Education Today."
- 20, 21 Memorial Hall is the scene of the annual Western District Conference. The theme is "Working in the Name of the Lord"; William H. Stauffer, Sugar Creek, Ohio, is guest speaker.
- 25 Many students and faculty members hear Miss Eleanor Steber, soprano, sing in the first number of the Newton Co-operative Concert Association.
- 27 Student Council organizes with Ernst Harder as president. Assisting officers are Roy Henry, Orlando Schmidt, and Marianne Toews.
- 28 Traveling Secretary Miss Lois Crozier introduces W. S. S. F. to the student body.
- 29 The original Don Cossack Chorus presents an impressive concert to a large audience under the auspices of the Memorial Hall series.
- 30 Hallowe'en party. Remember the dramatic imitation of the Don Cossack Chorus?

#### November

- 3 Pete Block begins taking portraits for the annual.
- 4 Dr. Russell Cooper, Secretary of the Teacher Training Study Committee of the North Central Association of Colleges, speaks to students and faculty.
- 6 Fiftieth Anniversary Homecoming Banquet. Johnnie Kliewer reigns as Queen with Monica Dirks and Orletta Warkentin as attendants. Ada Mae Gressinger presides; Rev. David C. Wedel speaks on "Looking Back to Go Forward"; Dr. P. J. Wedel, on "In Retrospect."
- 11 The campus grounds receive annual clean-up. Faculty and students share in this activity and in a doughnut and coffee lunch later.
- 12 "Letters to Lucerne" is the first all-school dramatic production of the year.
- 17 Second hour gym class takes the final game in the girls' volleyball tournament.
- 21 Rupert Hohmann's violin recital in the afternoon. The band makes its first appearance in the evening.
- 23 The first quarter is completed; a Thanksgiving vacation has been earned.
- 26 Annual Corporation meeting.
- 29 Winter quarter begins. Miss Mary E. Grimmett, Special Instructor in Alcohol Education, comes to the campus.

#### December

- 3 White House Third Floor West team captained by Carl Stucky wins volleyball tourney by defeating the small but mighty Academy team.
- 4 Bethel plays host to twenty visiting debate teams from Baker, Friends, McPherson, Southwestern, and Sterling.
- 5 S. C. M. Christmas Worship Service in Student Union.
- 10 Dr. No-Yong Park, noted writer, lecturer, and interpreter of China, is an all-day guest.



- 11 A group of students go to McPherson to hear Dr. D. Bittinger of the McPherson faculty speak at the five-college Student Peace Conference.
- 12 Sixteenth annual rendition of "Messiah" by community chorus.
- 15 Art and Music Departments present traditional Christmas program with tableaux.
- 16 Faculty and students gather for a Christmas dinner, the first formal dinner of the school year.
- 17 S. C. M. gives Christmas party to children of the Children's Home in West Newton. Students disperse, not reluctantly, for the Christmas holidays.

#### January

- 2 Bethel Academy and College faculty hold New Year's retreat.
- 4 A general regathering of students with careful dusting of all "upper stories" preparatory to settling down to work.
- 8 Competing for Bethel in the McPherson College Economy Debate Tournament are Laurine Quiring and Carl Stucky.
- 13 Buhler Miller's independent team edge past a fighting college five 28-20.
- 14 Dr. Haridas Muzumdar addresses students and faculty on "Is Democracy the Way Out or on the Way Out?" House of David led by Verney Uuruh defeats Wives of Solomon 41-19 to win first intra-mural basketball tourney.
- 26 Home Economics Club sponsors all-school formal dinner with a "Kansas Day" theme.
- 27 College boys receive 52-21 stunning at hands of Moundridge Boosters led by Reed Kaufman, ex-Bethel cage star.
- 30 For faculty and fellow students, girls who live in dormitories hold open house and feature a progressive supper.
- 31 A grand time is had by all at the roller-skating party.

#### February

- 3 Walton quintet tumbles Bethel 54-25.
- 4 Freshman class party in Memorial Hall; the main feature is a scavenger hunt.
- 9 Graymaroons close independent cage season with perfect record of no wins by losing to flashy Inman team 46-26. Girls' gym classes again bow to second hour, this time in a basketball tournament.
- 11 Dr. Alfred Noyes, appearing under the auspices of the Memorial Hall series, speaks on "The Foundations of Belief." At a tournament at St. John's College, Ralph Bargaen and Carl Stucky enter in debate; Carl Stucky also in oratory.
- 12 White House boys entertain their dates at a party.
- 15 "Merry Wives of Windsor" entertains many Bethelites. Ellen Waltner, Katherine Linscheid and Ralph Bargaen elected *Collegian* editor and associate editors, respectively, for coming year.
- 16 S. C. M. elects Verney Unruh president for next year. New officers to assist him are Viola Franz, Elda Duerksen, and Eleanor Duerksen.
- 18 Bethel College Fellowship Committees meet for annual dinner in Memorial Hall dining room. "Prexy and Son" is second all-school play of the year.
- 20 Band renders program of concert music.

- 24, 25 Second quarter finals, an alternating hopeful and despairing student body.
- 27 Bethel Academy renders program in the Chapel.
- 29 Ada Friesen gives voice recital.

#### March

- 2 Rev. and Mrs. Malcolm Wenger leave to begin work with the Cheyenne Indians at Busby, Montana.
- 3 We spend an evening of fun and gay entertainment planned by the Doxies.
- 6 Miss Thelma D. Reinhard, Dramatics Arts Instructor, leaves to take up Red Cross work in American Army and Navy hospitals.
- 6-10 Dr. W. O. Trueblood devotes Bible Week to a study of the Book of Hebrews.
- 16 The Polomeme Potters present "Art in Clay."
- 17 A Cappella Choir goes to McPherson to give concert.
- 20 Senior oral comprehensive examinations are scheduled to begin.
- 24 Students come from neighboring colleges to hear Kirby Page.
- 29 Kansas Inter-Collegiate Peace Oratorical Contest at McPherson has several Bethel participants.
- 31 Student groups vie for the coveted cup at annual farcity review.

#### April

- 1 April Fool. Everybody on guard.
- 2 "Seven Last Words" presented for the twenty-second consecutive year.
- 3 The Life of Christ in reading and music, climaxed with Communion Service.
- 6 Easter recess begins.
- 10 Classes reluctantly awaken from lethargy of vacation.
- 12 Dr. Ralph Sockman, noted minister of the Christ Church, New York, concludes Memorial Hall series.
- 13 Seniors take written comprehensive examinations.
- 14-16 Bethel is host to the All-State S. C. M. Conference. Herbert King, an outstanding leader and counselor available to Student Movement groups, is the main speaker.
- 21 Apollo Boys' Choir of Dallas, Texas, present Booster Concert.
- 23 Concert by the band in the evening.
- 26 Gertrude Hohmann gives voice recital.
- 26-28 Drs. Pauline and Warren Mack conduct co-ordinating conferences on "Human Nutrition and Human Progress" and "Dynamics of Plant and Human Nutrition."
- 28 Junior-senior banquet is scheduled.

#### May

- 5 All-school picnic sponsored by the Student Council.
- 11 Finals begin.
- 14 Baccalaureate Services open Commencement Week activities.
- 15 Program by the senior class.
- 16 Alumni and Ex-Student Day.
- 17 Commencement.





BETHEL COLLEGE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION BOARD

*Standing, left to right, — MRS. MENNO E. SCHMIDT, Retired President; MRS. PAUL BAUMGARTNER, Secretary; MRS. ED. G. KAUFMAN; MRS. LEO BRANDT, First Vice-President.*

*Seated, — MRS. A. EPP; MISS LUCILLE FRIESEN, President; MRS. WILLIS RICH, Second Vice-President; MRS. J. J. SIEMENS, Social Chairman; MRS. G. B. ENTZ.*

*Not on Plate, — MISS SELMA SCHMIDT, Treasurer.*

## THE BETHEL COLLEGE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

The women's Association has been one of Bethel's most active organizations. Any woman interested in the welfare of the college and in widening its influence may pledge membership in this club. It was organized in 1934 by women from the Bethel and First Menonite Churches. Among some of its outstanding projects which have been carried out are the installation of the pipe organ in the chapel and the large electric oven in the kitchen and equipping the college kitchen with many

other things. It has also sewed curtains for the dining hall and the recreation room as well as bought linens for use in the dining hall and school infirmary. This organization sponsors banquets and does canning for the college. At the present time it is raising money in order that a tile floor may be put in the dining hall. Through its undying energy and deep devotion to the college, we may well refer to it as a mission society working through the channel of Christian Education.

## THE BETHEL COLLEGE FELLOWSHIP ASSOCIATION

Mr. W. O. Thompson, former president of Ohio State University, once said, "If we believe in our church, believe it has a mission and a future, we must believe in our church college." It was with this purpose in mind of furthering mutual understanding and helpfulness between the college and churches of the

Bethel College area that the Bethel College Fellowship was organized in 1933. Each local organization elects its own officers, one officer being elected each year for a period of three years. The Bethel College administration has created a central committee, which is located on the college campus and is re-

sponsible to the college administration. This committee cooperates with the local chapters and serves as a central clearing house for them. It also arranges for at least one general meeting on the campus each year of all local fellowships for the purpose of helpfulness and inspiration. The local committee makes a personal canvass once a year, inviting members of their churches to join the local Bethel College Fellowship by making a financial contribution to the college for that year.

It is the aim of this organization to pray for Bethel, to talk for Bethel, to suggest improvements at Bethel, to help

people get better acquainted with Bethel, to call Bethel's attention to prospective students and to encourage them to attend the college and to encourage individuals to make a definite annual financial contribution to the college.

The average church college feels fortunate if as many as 500 different friends make annual gifts, but through this organization *alone*, Bethel College has more than 2,000 friends. The Bethel College Fellowships serve as powerhouses. They furnish energy in the form of interest, prayers, good-will, students and contributions. We are proud of this fine organization!

### ON-TO-BETHEL CLUB

"Our son is ready for college, but he cannot go. Business was bad. Crops failed this year."

Listen! This reason for depriving children of a college education need no longer exist. Bethel College offers a form of college education insurance, whereby parents, relatives or friends may enroll children in the On-To-Bethel Club and whereby they save money for college expenses before the children

are ready to attend. Membership is open to prospective students who make an advance tuition deposit of \$10.00 or more. It is understood that subsequent similar deposits are to be made. Interest earnings begin as soon as the first deposit totals \$100.00. Maturity of deposit coincides with the date of enrollment of the member as a student at the college. Withdrawals of deposits before maturity are also allowed, provided a sixty-day notice is given, signed

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by the proper authorities. There are now 65 members with a deposit of \$18,660.00. Parents, relatives and friends agree that this club is a safe in-

vestment, a wholesome influence and helps to establish good habits of thrift. It is an invaluable gift to a child that will always be appreciated.

## **BETHEL COLLEGE GOODWILL BUILDERS**

The Bethel College Goodwill Builders' Club is made up mostly of children, but more and more young people and others are becoming members of this organization. At the present time there are 320 members. Its purpose is to develop an active interest in Christian education as a missionary enterprise. The college loans each Builder a tith-

ing bank to encourage him to save for mission purposes. A part of the savings the member contributes to the college annually. A program is given for this group at which time the members make their contributions or send them in to the college. The club was started in 1940, and it is showing considerable growth.

## **THE MENNONITE SONG FESTIVAL SOCIETY**

The Mennonite people have found enjoyment and spiritual up-lift in the singing of hymns. They came to the conclusion that they would enjoy bringing the choirs of several churches together in song service. Pretty Prairie and Buhler held some of these festivals and soon other neighboring churches joined in. In the spring of 1930, the Alexanderwohl Church invited neighboring churches to participate in a song service. It was at this time that the Mennonite Song Festival Society was organized. As time went on more and more churches participated in this event, until it could not well be accommodated by the equipment of the var-

ious churches. Bleachers were built in the Kidron Park on the Bethel College Campus in 1934. The festival was then held there every year with the exception of two times when it was held at Lindley Hall in Newton because of rain. With the completion of Memorial Hall, the festival has been held there the last two years. It has been the custom of this society to give the various choirs an opportunity to each render a selection in the afternoon program. The evening is spent in having all the choirs unite to sing some special selection or to spend the evening in congregational singing.

## **THE BETHEL COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

The Alumni Association of Bethel College is not a static organization. Since its founding in 1894, it has been growing until today we see a body totalling approximately six thousand people. This list includes not only graduates but all students who have attended Bethel. The office of the Alumni Association is located in Memorial Hall, with Dr. P. J. Wedel executive secretary. The executive committee consists of six elected members and three ex-officio members.

The work the association has carried on has been varied. In 1914 they completed the Alumni Hall which at that

time was a gymnasium and auditorium but has recently been converted to the Kauffman Museum. It also sponsors Alumni and Ex-student Day during graduation week.

It is through this organization that an attempt is being made to unify all students that have attended or graduated from the college. It is through the continued cooperation of those involved that this organization will be able to become more effective in the future.

The following list of Bethel graduates was obtained through the courtesy of the Alumni Association.

# LIST OF BETHEL GRADUATES

1912

## COLLEGE

Galle, Menno J.  
Isaac, Ferdinand J.  
Kliwer, John C.  
Regier, Aaron J.  
Regier, John M.  
Schroeder, Peter R.

1913

## COLLEGE

Boehr, Peter J.  
Claassen, Anna Elizabeth  
Dick, Isaac J.  
Friesen, J. John

## MUSIC

Ruth, Emma M.

1914

## COLLEGE

Ensz, John H.  
Linscheid, J. E.  
Peters, Henry Penner  
Quiring, Peter F.  
Schultz, Peter Daniel

1915

## COLLEGE

Albrecht, Peter J.  
Harms, Ernest L.  
Isaac, Helena L.  
Moyer, John Frederick  
Voth, Lydia  
Wiebe, William

## MUSIC

Hohmann, Walter H.  
Kaegi, Blanche  
Schmidt, Hilda

1916

## COLLEGE

Cochran, Sophia Lee  
Friesen, Gerhard  
Friesen, Jacob V.  
Glover, Harold M.  
Habegger, Alfred  
Habegger, Mrs. Alfred  
Haury, Irvin A.  
Isaac, Arnold Gerhard  
Kaufman, Edmund G.  
Loganbill, Jesse H.  
Lohrenz, Abraham M.  
Wollmann, Joseph A.  
Wollmann, Marie S.

## MUSIC

Dunkelberger, Melba

1917

## COLLEGE

Fast, Henry A.  
Friesen, Carl C.  
Greene, Roma

Krehbiel, Oswald C.

McAllister, Hazel  
Niles, Fayette E.  
Niles, Walter E.  
Penner, Ernest W.  
Riesen, Helene  
Schroeder, W. A.  
Unruh, Henry T.  
Wedel, Edward B.

1918

## COLLEGE

Erb, Paul  
Goering, Samuel J.  
Haury, Irma  
Molzen, Cora  
Loewen, Otto B.  
Voth, William C.

## MUSIC

Byler, Arthur  
Hauck, Gertrude  
Koller, Barbara  
Wiens, Katherine

1919

## COLLEGE

Frantz, Peter E.  
Haury, G. A., Jr.  
Isaac, Wanda Suzanne  
Kehl, Charles C.  
Linscheid, Elizabeth K.  
Schmidt, Edward Dwight  
Thiessen, John  
Thiessen, A. V.

## MUSIC

Hohmann, Ruth E.  
Ringelman, Elda  
Ringleman, Elma

1920

## COLLEGE

Barker, Ivyl C.  
Burkhard, Noah  
Dexter, Laura Ellen  
Eop, John D.  
Flickner, Edmund E.  
Horsch, Lucas J.  
Martin, Alice  
Pankratz, Otto B.  
Penner, George H.  
Regier, P. K.  
Tahrt, Leon Jess  
van der Smissen, Alvin  
Voth, John J.

## MUSIC

Dunkelberger, Neva  
Kliwer, Martha

1921

## COLLEGE

Dirks, Jacob Kenneth  
Frey, Gustav  
Gaeddert, G. R.  
Galle, Kurt R.  
Goering, Edmund W.  
Kaufman, John E.  
Schrag, Adeline

Stauffer, Marie  
Suckau, C. H.  
Suderman, John M.  
Tieszen, Abraham F.

## MUSIC

Gaeddert, Lydia F.  
Hohmann, Esther  
Krehbiel, Edna  
Martin, Elsie  
Vesper, Susan  
Waltner, Edna

1922

## COLLEGE

Balzer, Isaac H.  
Baumgartner, Mrs. Paul G.  
Becker, Joseph A.  
Dick, Hannah  
Duerksen, Jacob A.  
Enns, Anna  
Quirk, Katherine  
Schmidt, Augusta  
Schrag, Henry J.  
Suderman, Anna E.  
Voth, Albert C.

## VOICE

Becker, Joseph A.

1923

## COLLEGE

Albrecht, Abraham  
Baumgartner, Paul G.  
Becker, Herman A.  
Becker, William J.  
Dexter, Herbert E.  
Dyck, Annabelle  
Goering, Joseph H.  
Haury, Paul Gerhard  
Hege, Henry  
Janzen, Herman F.  
Krehbiel, Adolf J.  
Pankratz, David S.  
Perkins, Josie  
Stucky, Marie  
Waltner, Lena  
Wedel, Philip A.

## MUSIC

Gabriel, Sister M.  
Wedel, Philip A.

1924

## COLLEGE

Balzer, Augusta  
Becker, Honora  
Duerksen, Jacob R.  
Friesen, Abraham P.  
Gaeddert, John H.  
Galle, Oswin K.  
Goering, Adina  
Goerz, Harold K.  
Harms, Minnie  
Harms, Ruth E.  
Johnson, Howard A.  
Kliwer, Otto  
Krehbiel, Edna H.  
Rich, Selma I.  
Schmutz, Menno W.  
Stucky, Rose Mary  
Unruh, Simon  
Unrau, Susie

## MUSIC

Goering, Adina  
Hess, Mary

1925

## COLLEGE

Bargen, Mrs. B.  
Enns, Rudolph B.  
Friesen, Adolf  
Kelly, Ethel  
Landis, M. D.  
Latschar, Paul G.  
Linscheid, Peter R.  
Miller, Herman O.  
Nachtigal, George A.  
Pankratz, Cecil  
Penner, Mariam M.  
Schmidt, August  
Speer, Marjorie  
Stacy, Sherwood J.  
Terry, Brooks  
Unruh, Edwin  
Unruh, William F.

## MUSIC

Haury, Florence  
Toevs, Esther

1926

## COLLEGE

Baergen, Samuel  
Claassen, Margaret M.  
Deckert, Lyndon P.  
Ebersole, W. Harvey  
Harder, Menno S.  
Hiebert, Sara M.  
Hofer, Anna S.  
Jantzen, Heinrich W.  
Kaufman, Bertha A.  
Krehbiel, Viola M.  
McArthur, Charles E.  
Penner, Albert J.  
Pike, Modelle  
Regier, Alvin W.  
Regier, Marie J.  
Richert, Minnie  
Schmidt, Esther K.  
Schmidt, Johanna  
Schmidt, Minnie  
Schmidt, Stella F.  
Schroeder, Edward H.  
Tieszen, Agnatha V.  
Voth, Martha M.

## MUSIC

Byler, Kenneth  
Byler, Shirley  
Dunlap, Harold  
Hanna, Zelda  
Hofer, David J. R.  
Latschar, Ruth Ann  
Nattier, Esther H.

1927

## COLLEGE

Becker, Dietrich D.  
Dick, Ruth Z.  
Entz, Walter B.  
Entz, Louise  
Escu, Herman C.  
Graber, Edwin P.  
Hanna, Bernardine  
Haury, Victor G.  
Horsch, Henry



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Horsch, Monica  
Kannapel, Virginia G.  
Kaufman, Edward E.  
Latschar, Clara  
Linscheid, Louis H.  
Mercomes, Geneva E.  
Penner, William  
Rempel, Herman G.  
Richert, Carl J.  
Robertson, Ellis P.  
Schmidt, Elma  
Schmidt, Herbert R.  
Siemens, Lydia A.  
Vorán, Philip P.

## 1928 COLLEGE

Banman, Jacob J.  
Baumgartner, Gladysne  
Buller, John, Jr.  
Epp, Waldo J.  
Friesen, Maria S.  
George, Violet  
Haury, Florence N.  
Harms, Henry E.  
Kliwer, Ruth L.  
Linscheid, Otilie  
Linscheid, Theodora H.  
Pankratz, Esther  
Penner, Elizabeth R.  
Penner, Hulda S.  
Plenert, John J.  
Ratzlaff, Abe K.  
Rich, Willis E.  
Richert, Anton S.  
Schmidt, Theodore  
Staufer, Anna  
Stewart, Elizabeth F.  
Suderman, John P.  
Thiesen, Daniel S.  
Toevs, Irvin E.  
Wentzel, Stella E.  
Wiens, Ferdinand J.

## 1929 COLLEGE

Brandt, Leo  
Dettweiler, Willard  
Ewy, Walter  
Funk, Mary G.  
Graber, Walter  
Harms, William  
Kaufman, Clinton A.  
Kitch, Hazel  
Kliwer, Karl G.  
Kliwer, Milton  
Kliwer, Waldo  
Krehbiel, Florence  
Linscheid, Harold W.  
Linscheid, Marvin D.  
Miller, Alfred L.  
Pearson, Gerald L.  
Regier, Hans E.  
Richert, Olga E.  
Ruth, Helen L.  
Schmidt, Irvin E.  
Schmidt, Lloyd  
Schmidt, Mary R.  
Schmidt, Rosa M.  
Unruh, Augusta  
Unruh, John W.  
Vesper, Dorothy  
Voth, Menno D.  
Voth, Paul D.  
Wiebe, Herbert E.  
Wiens, Rudolph P.  
Williamson, Ralph E.

## MUSIC

Bestvater, Esther I.  
Graber, Selma J.

## 1930 COLLEGE

Buller, John P.  
Claassen, Ted  
Dyck, Helen  
Eitzen, David D.  
Harder, Henry N.  
Harms, Edwin M.  
Harms, Martha  
Haury, Mildred H.  
Klassen, Hilda T.  
Kliwer, Paul T.  
Lichti, Wilma  
Mitchell, Gladys Fae  
Nodemus, Mrs. Cora  
Ratzlaff, Sadie  
Regier, Elma  
Richert, Elma  
Riesen, Edna  
Shroyer, Lana  
Siemens, Curt  
Smith, Lena Mae  
Voth, William

## MUSIC

Urban, Irene

## 1931\* COLLEGE

Becker, Henry D.  
Bergen, Aaron  
Bergen, Henry W.  
Eck, Albert  
Eck, Daniel  
Enns, Frank J.  
Ewert, Henry  
Friesen, Albert I.  
Hoover, Elizabeth  
Pearson, Cecilia  
Sanderson, E. S.  
Schirmer, Frieda  
Thiessen, Peter I.  
Voth, Moses  
Waltner, Alma Bessie

## 1932 COLLEGE

Ames, Florence  
Andres, Mrs. Joanna S.  
Balzer, Linda  
Becker, Mollie  
Bergen, Ben  
Dalke, Jacob J.  
Dirks, Herbert  
Ediger, Gustave  
Fast, Olga  
Gaeddert, Albert  
Gaeddert, Henry  
Goering, Peter W.  
Goerz, Frances  
Haury, Elizabeth  
Hawk, Wilton  
Hiebert, Ruth  
Hogan, Morris  
Hohmann, Lois  
Jantzen, Albert  
Linscheid, Chester

Linscheid, Elmer A.  
Liu, James  
Loewen, Harold  
Miller, Marvin  
Mueller, A. Theodore  
Petter, Rudolphe  
Reimer, Alvin  
Rutschman, Elma  
Shull, Adrian  
Suderman, Elaine  
Unrau, Martha  
Wang, Stephen  
Zehr, William

## 1933 COLLEGE

Bestvater, Lillian  
Carson, Vera  
Dester, Dorothy  
Flaming, Marie  
Hiebert, Charlotte  
Hogan, Morris  
Jantz, Esther  
Kaufman, Edna J.  
Kaufman, Ralph C.  
Mueller, Mrs. A. Theodore  
Staufer, Frieda  
Vaughn, Elizabeth  
Voth, Rudolf D.  
Wedel, David C.  
Wenger, Paul

## 1934 COLLEGE

Bekker, John A.  
Buller, Esther  
Cunningham, Wesley  
Friesen, Wilhelmine  
Goering, David C.  
Goering, Mabel  
Hennessy, Aileen  
Jantzen, J. Marc  
Krehbiel, John L.  
Loewen, Walter  
Lohrenz, Henry H.  
Lohrenz, Mariana  
Penner, Susie  
Reimer, Marie  
Schmidt, Mrs. Waldo  
Smith, Luella  
Voth, Esther M.  
Warkentin, Vera

## 1935 COLLEGE

Becker, Alvin J.  
Brown, Linda  
Carson, Isabelle  
Doell, Norma  
Ediger, Hilda  
Goering, Ena  
Hanke, Oscar  
Krehbiel, Mildred  
Landes, Arthur  
Lewis, Irene  
Miller, Edmund J.  
Mueller, Linda  
Neufeld, Anna K.  
Roberts, Floyd E.  
Rupp, Helen  
Schmidt, Harold  
Schmidt, John F.  
Schrag, Felix  
Stucky, Mose

Suderman, Dave  
Unruh, Emma  
Waltner, Erland  
Warkentin, John  
Williams, Howard L.  
Yust, Venard

## 1936 COLLEGE

Adams, Julia Blanche  
Albrecht, Frieda C.  
Byler, Sam D.  
Claassen, Dorothy H.  
Claassen, Edith F.  
Claassen, Harold F.  
Dirks, Marvin J.  
Douglass, Andrew  
Epp, Dorothea  
Guy, Ray L.  
Juhnke, William F.  
Kaufman, Clemens M.  
Kaufman, Peter R.  
King, Ruth E.  
Krey, June  
Martin, E. Janice  
Miller, Herbert E.  
Pankratz, Theodore  
Quiring, Karl D.  
Richert, Roland  
Schmidt, Ruth L.  
Schmidt, Willard G.  
Schrag, Alida  
Smith, Gladys  
Stucky, Raymond J.  
Tunnell, Miriam  
Voth, Arnold  
Voth, Theodore H.  
Weinbrenner, Reynold W.

## 1937 COLLEGE

Albrecht, Erwin  
Andrews, Anna  
Baergen, Marie  
Banman, Katherine  
Berg, Alfred  
Buhler, Frank  
Clark, James C.  
Coulson, Clyde  
Dick, William O.  
Dix, Pearl Mae  
Ensz, Marianna  
Ewert, Walter E.  
Franzen, Dorothea S.  
Goering, Ella  
Graber, Clarence J.  
Gross, Harold H.  
Hall, Paul  
Hupp, Lucille  
Kaufman, Verna  
Martens, Harry  
Patton, Peggy  
Penner, Erna  
Penner, Martha  
Peters, Willard H.  
Preheim, Delbert V.  
Quiring, Mary  
Ratzlaff, Harold C.  
Ratzlaff, Linda  
Regier, Harold  
Regier, Ruth I.  
Regier, Theodore J.  
Regier, Winifred  
Schrag, Ralph  
Schroeder, Jacob H.  
Stevenson, Glen  
Tschetter, Paul W.

\*Beginning with 1931, music majors qualified for the A.B. Degree and are listed under College.

# LIST OF BETHEL GRADUATES

Unruh, Earl W.  
Unruh, Ruth  
Unruh, Sue  
Voth, Waldo O.  
Wagner, Earl  
Wenger, Everett S.  
Whitwam, (Hazel) Dorothy  
Whitwam, Helen M.  
Wiebe, Elizabeth  
Wiebe, Hilda K.  
Wiens, Agnes M.  
Yust, C. Fred

1938

## COLLEGE

Andres, Katie  
Baehr, Karl  
Baehr, Paul  
Balzer, Arthur  
Balzer, Ruby  
Buler, Arnold  
Dirks, Eldon  
Entz, Edith G.  
Friesen, Arthur  
Fuller, Glen  
Gaede, Edwin  
Goertz, J. Richard  
Goertz, H. Norton  
Graber, Eldon W.  
Habegger, Marden  
Haury, Ruth  
Isaac, Helen A.  
Kliwer, Lois  
Koehn, Glen  
Krehbiel, Rhea  
Krehbiel, Thelma  
Kroeker, Herbert  
Pettis, Hattie E.  
Ratzlaff, Esther  
Regier, B. Ruth  
Regier, Frances R.  
Rich, Eldon  
Richert, Louise C.  
Roth, Ruth  
Schrag, John O.  
Staley, Samuel E.  
Suderman, Erwin  
Voth, Edward  
Walker, Tommy  
Waltner, Arthur  
Waltner, Orlando A.  
Woodworth, Mary K.  
Zerger, Paul

1939

## COLLEGE

Becker, Glenn V.  
Brandt, Waldo  
Duby, Wilbert  
Dyck, Marie M.  
Dyck, Mildred  
Epp, Daniel J.  
Epp, Wanda Ruth  
Ewert, August  
Ewert, Ruth  
Flory, Morris  
Franz, Herbert P.  
Friesen, Eric  
Gephardt, Maurice C.  
Gerbrand, Mildred L.  
Goering, Joe W.  
Goering, Philip A.

Graber, Ellis  
Graber, Viola  
Harms, Frank  
Harms, Harold  
Heidebrecht, Paul Milford  
Hess, Helen R.  
Klassen, H. Victor  
Kliwer, Melba  
Knittel, Erhardt  
Kreider, Robert  
Livengood, C. Earl  
Mayer, Darrel M.  
McMurry, Glenn D.  
Mercomes, Aldace S.  
Pankratz, Waldo C.  
Pauls, Franklin B.  
Penner, Orville K.  
Penner, Ruth  
Quiring, Edna Ann  
Regier, Margaret  
Regier, Robert B.  
Richert, Dan A.  
Rouse, John Cole  
Saylor, Annabelle  
Schmidt, Pauline E.  
Schmidt, Robert L.  
Smith, Cleo  
Smith, Jack L.  
Toews, Wilma  
Unruh, Wilbur V.  
Waltner, Delpha  
Wedel, Agnes A.

1940

## COLLEGE

Auernheimer, Arthur H.  
Bair, Albert E.  
Barg, Peter  
Barkman, Samuel James  
Becker, Mary  
Buller, Henry  
Buller, Victor  
Catlin, Wayne A.  
Claassen, Helen Dorothy  
Eberle, Elda Pearl  
Ediger, Elmer M.  
Eldridge, Ann Elizabeth  
Ensz, Harold H.  
Enz, Lucile  
Friesen, Elmer R.  
Friesen, Mrs. Gerhard  
Friesen, Lucile H.  
Gaeddert, Willard  
Galle, Gilbert  
Galle, Richard W.  
Goering, Erwin C.  
Graber, Gladys Virginia  
Haury, Walter G.  
Haury, Robert Arthur  
Hiebert, Albert C.  
Hirschler, Elizabeth M.  
Hoff, Roy Richard  
Huebert, Freda  
Kaufman, Alvin D.  
Krehbiel, Florene Mae  
McGraw, Peggy  
Mangels, Kenneth A.  
Neufeld, Carl J.  
Quiring, Paul D.  
Regier, Arnold J.  
Regier, Esther M.  
Regier, Walter H.  
Schroeder, Dorothea  
Schroeder, Louise Helen  
Schroeder, Louise S.  
Stucky, Gerald

Stucky, N. Paul  
Unruh, Chester R.  
Unruh, Henry A.  
Voth, Edna S.  
Voth, Ferindand  
Voth, Mildred A.  
Wiebe, Anna  
Wiens, Frieda E.  
Wiens, Martha E.  
Will, Maxine V.  
Woodworth, Margaret E.

1941

Albright, Dorothy  
Bechtel, Mabel  
Claassen, Helen  
Claassen, Howard H.  
Enns, Roberta M.  
Enz, Jacob J.  
Epp, John R.  
Ewert, Wesley C.  
Friesen, Elma  
Gamer, Emran  
Goering, Jacob D.  
Goering, Orlo  
Goering, Roland R.  
Graber, Mrs. Martha F.  
Gressinger, Ada Mae  
Guhr, Henry  
Hiebert, Erwin  
Hiebert, Phlorence  
Hilty, Ruby  
Horst, Orville K.  
Hostetler, Alice L.  
Kaufman, Orlo  
Kellenbarger, Doris C.  
Koontz, Elbert E.  
Krehbiel, Florence E.  
Langenwalter, Louise  
Linscheid, Edith Mae  
Loepp, Marie L.  
Lawellin, Inez  
Lowe, Eleanor  
Loewen, Esko W.  
McAdow, Eleanor  
Mierau, Hugo  
Miller, Wilson L.  
Nickel, Katherine  
Pankratz, Mary Ann  
Pankratz, Ronald  
Peck, Edith Mary  
Rayburn, Frank  
Regier, Clara  
Regier, Gertrude  
Regier, Max W.  
Richert, Ervin E.  
Ruth, Ada K.  
Rickman, Ruthabel  
Rousell, Charles  
Sisk, O. Ruth  
Smith, Virginia  
Spangler, Freda  
Stevenson, Charles  
Stucky, Harley  
Waltner, Nellie Laird  
Watt, Roberta  
Wenger, Arthur  
Westerman, Ferne

1942

## COLLEGE

Bartel, Roy  
Becker, Frances M.  
Brown, Jessie Marie  
Bumgarner, Donald V.  
Enns, Hilda  
Fast, Menno  
Friesen, Lenore G.  
Friesen, Vera G.  
Goering, Mary Ann  
Graber, Arnold Erwin  
Hall, Thomas W.  
Harms, Sister Theodosia  
Hunter, Morjorie  
Jacobs, Genevieve Darst  
Koppes, Clinton C.  
Krehbiel, Elinor M.  
Krehbiel, Elton R.  
Kreider, Gerald R.  
Molzen, Hazel M.  
Moyer, Melvin Isaac  
Mueller, Hilda  
Quiring, Ralph F.  
Regier, Anna  
Renich, Paul W.  
Richert, Ethel  
Rupp, Kenneth D.  
Schmidt, Roland A.  
Schrag, Martin H.  
Schrag, Oswald O.  
Schroeder, Lorraine M.  
Senner, Robert W.  
Staerkel, Billy Max  
Stucky, Edwin R.  
Sweet, Mildred I.  
Unruh, Mildred I.  
Unruh, Willard H.  
Von Riesen, Ronald  
Wedel, Delmar  
Wiebe, Esther Pearl  
Wiebe, Orlando  
Willms, Marie

1943

## COLLEGE

Barkman, Paul F.  
Bartel, Peter S.  
Bartel, Phyllis A.  
Becker, Paul G.  
Epp, Rachel  
Ewert, Ruth E.  
Fast, Erna J.  
Friesen, Erna  
Goering, Harlan J.  
Goering, Orlando  
Goossen, Henry W.  
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*Esther Buller Elbl* resides at 1626 Nebraska Avenue, Kansas City 2, Kansas. Mr. L. A. Elbl is Chief Piezo Electrical Engineer of Crystal Products, Kansas City 8, Missouri.

*Wesley Cunningham* of 209 W. 9th, Newton, Kansas, is teaching mathematics in the Seventh and Eighth Grades of the Newton Junior High School.

*Wilhelmine Friesen Ediger* lives at Olathe, Kansas, where Lt. J. G. Gustave Ediger is a Navigation Instructor at the Olathe Naval Air Base.

*David C. Goering* is operating a farm near Moundridge, Kansas.

*Mabel Goering Stucky* is living at Florence, Kansas, where Mr. Milo Stucky is the principal of the Florence High School.

*Aileen Hennessy O'Neil* of 600 East 7th Street, Newton, Kansas, has for some time and is at present teaching in the English Department of the Newton Senior High School. Sergeant Wayne O'Neil, who is in the Infantry, is stationed in Texas.

*J. Marc. Jantzen*, Ph.D., University of Kansas, is Acting Dean of the Department of Education in charge of Teacher Training at the College of the Pacific, Stockton, California.

*John L. Krehbiel*, who is residing at 1909 North Walnut, Hutchinson, Kansas, is in the employ of The Mutual Life Insurance of New York as a life insurance agent.

*Walter Loewen* of Wichita, Kansas, is employed in the Designing Department of the Beech Aircraft Company.

*Henry H. Lohrenz* was stationed for some time in the internment camp at Trinidad, Colorado; later he was transferred for specialized training. At present, he is overseas. His family resides at Nickerson, Kansas.

*Mariana Lohrenz Rempel* resides at 1032 South Hadden Street, El Reno, Oklahoma. Mr. Henry D. Rempel was stationed, for a while, in Lubbock, Texas, being called into service because of his training as a psychologist. At present, he is in specialized training at Camp Richie, Maryland.

*Susie Penner Hildebrand* lives in Germany and is working in a children's home in Schloss Himelskrans. Mr. Peter Hildebrand has in the past been a teacher.

*Maria Reimer DeFehr* is living on Route 1, Box 616, Winnipeg, Manitoba, where Mr. Al. DeFehr is employed in a store.

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*Luella Smith, A.M.*, University of Chicago, as the Assistant Registrar of Bethel College, is in charge of the Registrar's Office and the Testing Department.

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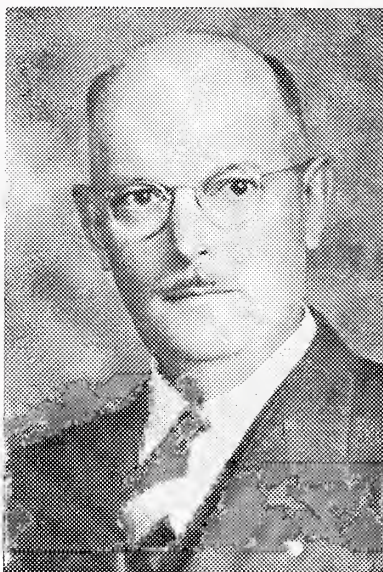
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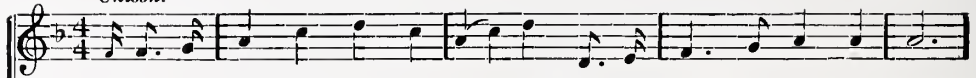
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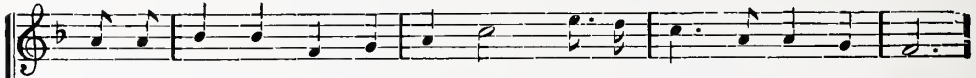
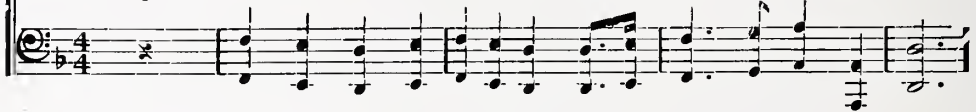
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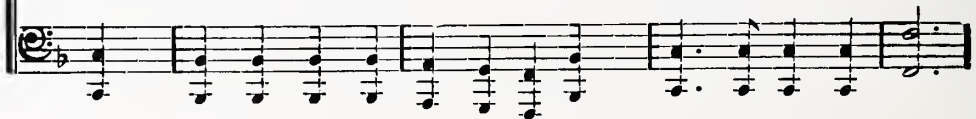
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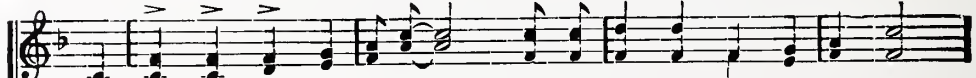
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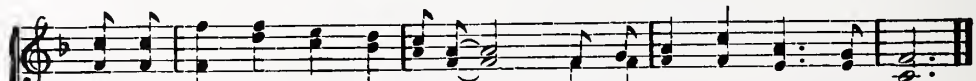
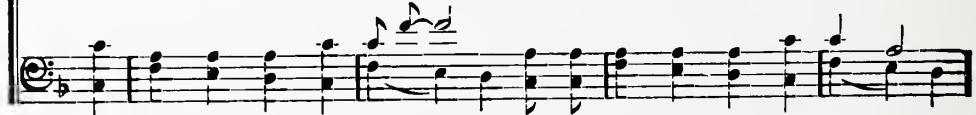
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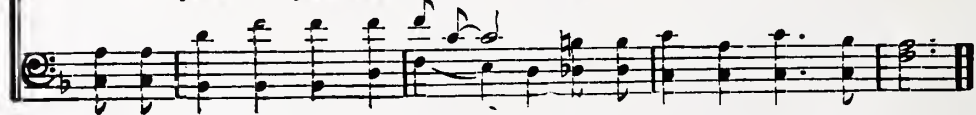
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